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# Ferry's Home Garden Catalogue

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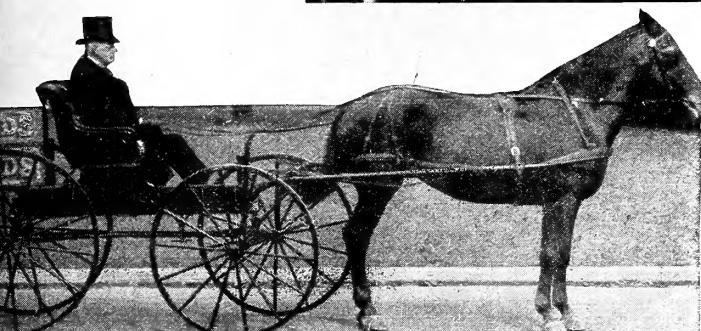
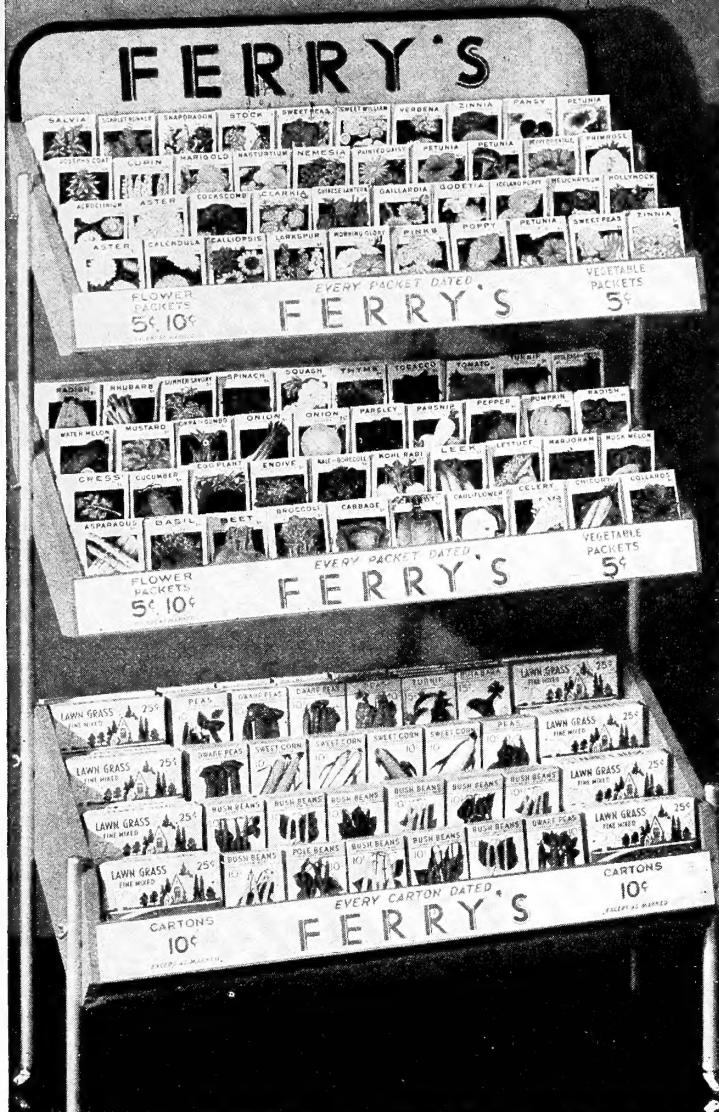
**PAINTED DAISY (*Pyrethrum*)**



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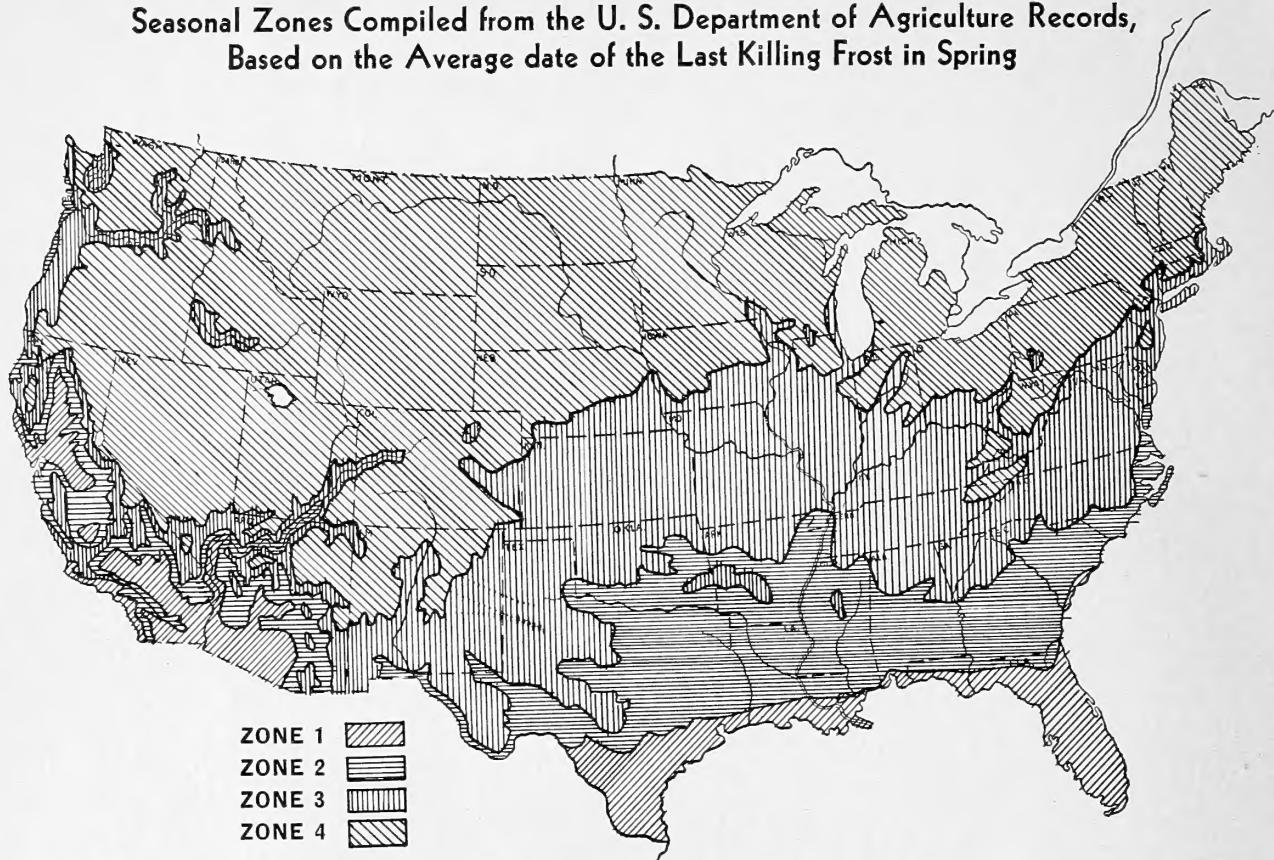
In those early years FERRY'S "travelers" drove from town to town and store to store taking orders for small boxes filled with packets of "SEEDS".

Today, what a change! FERRY'S beautiful new Displays, 200,000 of them, are shipped to every village, town, and city in the United States. They are just "around the corner" for the convenience of every man, woman and child.

During these eighty years, one thing remains the same—the quality of FERRY'S Vegetable and Flower Seeds has never been surpassed!

# When to plant your Vegetables

**Seasonal Zones Compiled from the U. S. Department of Agriculture Records,  
Based on the Average date of the Last Killing Frost in Spring**



To determine the approximate planting dates for your section of the country, first find on the map the zone in which you are located. Then, in the column under this zone number you will find the months in which the various vegetables and flowers may be planted in your section.

	ZONE 1	ZONE 2	ZONE 3	ZONE 4		ZONE 1	ZONE 2	ZONE 3	ZONE 4
Artichoke.....	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to May	.....	.....	Leek.....	Mar. to Apr.	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	Apr. to May
Asparagus.....	Mar. to Apr.	Mar. to Apr.	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Lettuce.....	Jan. to Dec.	Aug. to May	Mar. to June	Apr. to June
Beans.....	Apr. to Aug.	Apr. to June	May to June	May to June	Melon, Musk.....	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	May to June
Beet.....	Jan. to Dec.	Feb. to Oct.	Mar. to July	Apr. to July	Melon, Water.....	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	May to June
Broccoli, Heading...	July to Oct.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to Apr.	Mar. to Apr.	Mustard.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to May	Mar. to June	May to July
Broccoli, Sprouting...	Feb. to June	Feb. to June	Mar. to July	Apr. to July	Okra.....	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	May to June
Brussels Sprouts...	Feb. to May	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to Apr.	Mar. to Apr.	Onion.....	Dec. to Mar.	Dec. to Apr.	Feb. to May	Mar. to June
Cabbage, Spring....	Jan. to Mar.	Jan. to Apr.	Mar. to May	Mar. to May	Parsley.....	Jan. to Dec.	Jan. to June	Feb. to June	Mar. to June
Cabbage, Fall.....	June to Aug.	June to Aug.	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	Parsnip.....	Mar. to June	Feb. to June	Apr. to June	May to June
Caroon.....	Mar. to May	Mar. to May	.....	.....	Peas.....	Jan. to May	Jan. to Apr.	Feb. to May	Mar. to June
Carrot.....	Jan. to Dec.	Jan. to Mar.	Mar. to June	Apr. to June	Pepper.....	Feb. to Mar.	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to May	Mar. to May
Cauliflower, Spring.	Feb. to Mar.	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to Apr.	Mar. to May	Pumpkin.....	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	May to June
Cauliflower, Fall....	May to July	June to Aug.	May to June	May to June	Radish.....	Jan. to Dec.	Feb. to Oct.	Mar. to Aug.	Apr. to July
Celery.....	Mar. to June	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Mar. to June	Rhubarb.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June
Chervil.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to June	Apr. to June	Rhubarb Roots.....	Mar. to May	Mar. to May	Mar. to June	Mar. to June
Chives.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Roquette.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	May to June
Chicory.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to June	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	Salsify.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June
Collards.....	Jan. to May	Feb. to May	Mar. to June	Apr. to June	Sorrel.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June
Corn.....	Apr. to June	Mar. to June	May to July	May to July	Spinach.....	Jan. to Dec.	Feb. to Oct.	Mar. to Sept.	Apr. to Aug.
Corn Salad.....	Mar. to Aug.	Mar. to Aug.	May to July	May to Aug.	Squash.....	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	May to June
Cress.....	Mar. to Aug.	Mar. to July	May to June	May to June	Sunflower.....	Mar. to Apr.	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	May to June
Cucumber.....	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	May to June	Swiss Chard.....	Jan. to Dec.	Feb. to Sept.	Mar. to Aug.	Apr. to July
Dandelion.....	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	Apr. to June	May to June	Tobacco.....	Jan. to Feb.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to May	Mar. to May
Egg Plant.....	Feb. to Mar.	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	Tomato.....	Jan. to Mar.	Feb. to Mar.	Mar. to May	Mar. to May
Endive.....	July to Sept.	Aug. to Sept.	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Turnip, Spring....	Feb. to Mar.	Jan. to Mar.	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to May
Fennel.....	Mar. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Turnip, Fall.....	Aug. to Oct.	Aug. to Oct.	July to Aug.	July to Aug.
Horse Radish.....	Jan. to Apr.	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Rutabaga.....	July to Sept.	July to Sept.	July to Aug.	July to Aug.
Kale.....	Feb. to June	Feb. to May	Mar. to June	May to June	Herbs.....	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May	May to June
Kohl Rabi.....	Mar. to June	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June					

# When to plant your Flowers

ZONE 1	ZONE 2	ZONE 3	ZONE 4	ZONE 1	ZONE 2	ZONE 3	ZONE 4
Abronia.....	Sept. to Apr.	Feb. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Hibiscus.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Mar. to Apr.
Achillea.....	Aug. to Mar.	Sept. to Mar.	*Feb. to May	*Apr. to June	Hollyhock.....	Oct. to Dec.	*Feb. to Mar.
Acroclinium.....	Oct. to Apr.	Feb. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Humulus.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May
Adonis.....	Oct. to May	Oct. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Hunnemannia.....	Sept. to May	Apr. to May
Ageratum.....	Feb. to June	Feb. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Iberis.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.
Agrostemma.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Jan. to Mar.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Ipomoea.....	Mar. to May	*Mar. to May
Alyssum.....	Oct. to May	*Feb. to May	*Mar. to June	*Apr. to June	Job's Tears.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to Apr.
Amaranthus.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Kaulfussia.....	Feb. to May	Apr. to May
Anagallis.....	Oct. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Kochia.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to Apr.
Anchusa.....	Oct. to May	*Jan. to Mar.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to May	Kudzu Vine.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Mar. to Apr.
Anemone.....	Feb. to May	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to May	*May to June	Lantana.....	Sept. to Mar.	Feb. to Apr.
Antirrhinum.....	Oct. to Mar.	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Larkspur.....	Oct. to May	Mar. to May
Arabis.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Lathyrus.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Jan. to Apr.
Arctotis.....	Sept. to May	Feb. to May	Mar. to June	May to June	Lavatera.....	Aug. to Mar.	Mar. to May
Armeria.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Lavender.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Apr. to May
Asclepias.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Lilium.....	Sept. to May	*Feb. to June
Asparagus.....	Aug. to May	Oct. to Mar.	Oct. to Nov.	Sept. to Oct.	Linaria.....	Feb. to May	*Mar. to May
Aster.....	Feb. to June	Feb. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Linum.....	Feb. to May	*Apr. to May
Aubrieta.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to May	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Lobelia.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to Apr.
Balloon Vine.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Lunaria.....	Sept. to Mar.	*Feb. to May
Balsam.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Lupin.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Mar. to May
Bartonia.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Marigold.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May
Begonia.....	Sept. to Mar.	Feb. to May	Mar. to Apr.	Mar. to Apr.	Matricaria.....	Feb. to May	*Feb. to Apr.
Bellis.....	Sept. to Apr.	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to Apr.	*Apr. to June	Matthiola.....	July to Nov.	Mar. to May
Brachycome.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Mesembryanthemum.....	Sept. to May	*Apr. to May
Browallia.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Mignonette.....	Aug. to May	Mar. to June
Buddleia.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Mimosa.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to June
Calacalia.....	Oct. to May	Feb. to Apr.	Apr. to May	May to June	Momordica.....	Mar. to May	Apr. to June
Calendula.....	Sept. to May	Jan. to May	Mar. to June	May to June	Morning Glory.....	Apr. to May	Mar. to June
Calliopsis.....	Jan. to Apr.	Jan. to Apr.	Mar. to June	May to June	Myosotis.....	Sept. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.
Campanula.....	Aug. to Apr.	*Feb. to May	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Nasturtium.....	Mar. to May	Mar. to June
Canary Bird Flower.....	Mar. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	May to July	Nemesia.....	Feb. to May	Apr. to May
Candytuft.....	Sept. to June	Feb. to Apr.	Feb. to June	Mar. to June	Nemophila.....	Sept. to May	Mar. to June
Canna.....	Jan. to June	Jan. to Mar.	Mar. to June	May to June	Nicotiana.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to June
Cardinal Climber.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Nigella.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to June
Carnation.....	Oct. to Apr.	*Jan. to Mar.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Oenothera.....	Sept. to Mar.	*Mar. to May
Celosia.....	Feb. to Apr.	Feb. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Pansy.....	Aug. to May	*Jan. to Apr.
Centaurea.....	Oct. to Apr.	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	May to June	Passiflora.....	Sept. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.
Cerastium.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Jan. to Mar.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Pentstemon.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.
Cheiranthus.....	Sept. to May	*Jan. to Mar.	*Mar. to Apr.	*Apr. to June	Petunia.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to June
Chrysanthemum.....	Jan. to May	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Phacelia.....	Sept. to May	Feb. to May
Cineraria.....	July to May	Aug. to Apr.	Aug. to May	Aug. to May	Phlox drummondii.....	Sept. to May	Feb. to May
Clarkia.....	Oct. to May	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	May to June	Physalis.....	Oct. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.
Cleome.....	Feb. to May	Aug. to Oct.	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to May	Physostegia.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Jan. to Apr.
Cobaea.....	Feb. to Apr.	Feb. to Apr.	Feb. to Apr.	Feb. to June	Platycodon.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.
Coleus.....	Aug. to Mar.	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Poppy.....	Feb. to May	*Jan. to Apr.
Collinsia.....	Oct. to Mar.	Oct. to Apr.	Oct. to May	Apr. to June	Portulaca.....	Feb. to May	*Feb. to May
Columbine.....	Sept. to Apr.	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to May	*May to June	Primula.....	Feb. to May	*Feb. to Apr.
Coreopsis.....	Sept. to Apr.	*Feb. to Apr.	*Apr. to May	*May to June	Pyrethrum.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Mar.
Cosmidium.....	Oct. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Ranunculus.....	Feb. to June	*Mar. to May
Cosmos.....	Jan. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Rhodanthe.....	Oct. to May	Feb. to May
Cynoglossum.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Ricinus.....	Mar. to May	Apr. to June
Cypress Vine.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Rudbeckia.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May
Dahlia.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to May	May to June	Salpiglossis.....	Feb. to May	Apr. to May
Delphinium.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Salvia.....	Feb. to May	*Feb. to Apr.
Dianthus.....	Oct. to Mar.	Mar. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	Saponaria.....	Sept. to May	*Mar. to Apr.
Didiscus.....	Feb. to June	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	Scabiosa.....	Sept. to May	*Mar. to May
Digitalis.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Mar.	*Mar. to Apr.	*Apr. to May	Scarlet Runner Beans.....	Apr. to June	*Apr. to May
Dimorphotheca.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Schizanthus.....	Sept. to May	May to June
Dolichos.....	Apr. to May	Apr. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Sedum.....	Feb. to May	*Apr. to May
Erinus.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Shasta Daisy.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Mar. to May
Erysimum.....	Sept. to May	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to June	Statice.....	Sept. to May	Mar. to May
Eschscholtzia.....	Sept. to May	Mar. to May	Mar. to Apr.	May to June	Stevia.....	Aug. to Mar.	Feb. to May
Euphorbia.....	Sept. to May	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to June	May to June	Stock.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May
Four o'Clock.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to Apr.	Apr. to June	May to June	Sunflower.....	Apr. to June	Apr. to June
Gaillardia.....	Feb. to May	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to June	*Apr. to June	Sweet Peas.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Dec. to Mar.
Geranium.....	Aug. to Mar.	Aug. to May	Sept. to June	Sept. to June	Sweet William.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Jan. to Apr.
Gerbera.....	Sept. to Mar.	Mar. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Thunbergia.....	Feb. to May	Mar. to May
Geum.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to May	May to June	Tithonia.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.
Gilia.....	Oct. to May	Mar. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Valeriana.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Mar. to May
Godetia.....	Feb. to May	Apr. to May	Apr. to June	May to June	Verbena.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Feb. to Apr.
Gourd.....	Sept. to May	Apr. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Vinca.....	Jan. to Mar.	Feb. to May
Gypsophila.....	Sept. to May	*Feb. to Apr.	*Mar. to June	*Apr. to June	Viola.....	Apr. to Nov.	*Feb. to May
Helichrysum.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to Apr.	Mar. to May	May to June	Virginia Stock.....	Aug. to June	Feb. to Apr.
Heliotrope.....	Feb. to May	Feb. to May	Apr. to May	May to June	Viscaria.....	Feb. to June	Mar. to Apr.
Hesperis.....	Aug. to Apr.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to May	*Apr. to May	Wallflower.....	Aug. to Mar.	Feb. to May
Heuchera.....	Aug. to Mar.	*Mar. to May	*Apr. to May	*Apr. to May	Whitavia.....	Sept. to May	Mar. to May

\*NOTE. Perennial varieties of the kinds starred may also be planted in the fall.

# Distinctive, New varieties for

## CABBAGE

### Resistant Detroit

This is a new "yellows" resistant type of Golden Acre cabbage which we are offering for the first time this year. It should prove invaluable to growers in localities where "yellows" is prevalent.

*Resistant Detroit* produces small compact plants and round solid heads about six inches in diameter. It matures only a few days later than the earliest strains of Golden Acre.

Pkt. 15c; oz. \$1.00; 2 oz. \$1.80;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.40.

## TOMATO

### Michigan State Forcing

This tomato was recently developed at Michigan State College especially for greenhouse forcing. It has high productivity under restricted daylight conditions. Attractive medium-sized fruits, of rich deep scarlet and free from blemishes, are borne in clusters of five to eleven. The flesh is thick and firm. We believe this is one of the best forcing tomatoes yet introduced.

Pkts. 50c each (pkts. only.)

## LETTUCE

### White Boston Cornell No. 43

This strain of White Boston, developed by the New York State College of Agriculture, produces larger, darker green plants than the parent strain. It proved very satisfactory the past season and is worthy of trial wherever a larger type of White Boston Lettuce is wanted.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.00.

## CORN

### Gold Cross Bantam

Our stock of this new "crossed" corn is grown from the original inbred strains developed at Purdue Experiment Station.

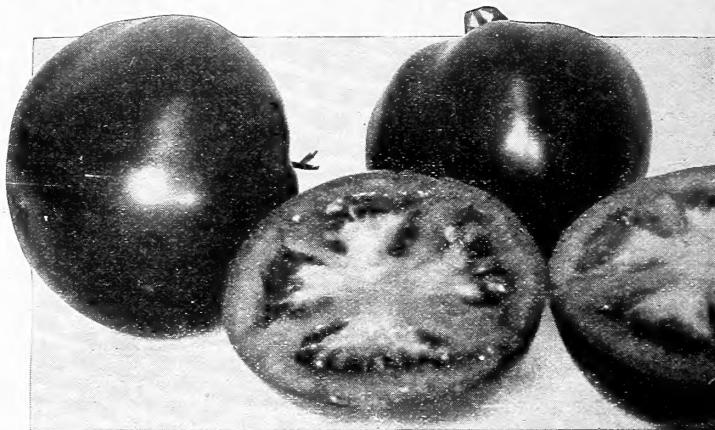
*Gold Cross Bantam* produces vigorous growing plants which are more resistant to Stewart's Disease than regular Golden Bantam and several other "crossed" strains we have tried.

*Gold Cross* matures about a week later than Golden Bantam, furnishing ears of uniform size about 8 inches long, 10 to 14 rowed, and of excellent quality.

Try this new corn. We heartily recommend it. (See Page 21 for further description.)

Carton 10c; lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

The meaty fruits of Michigan State Forcing tomato are temptingly rich deep scarlet.



Firm round heads of Resistant Detroit. This is the earliest cabbage of its type that can be satisfactorily grown in soil infested with "yellows."

# your Vegetable Garden

## PARSLEY

### Paramount

The merits of this new Parsley so impressed the judges of the 1935 All-America Trials that it was granted an Award of Merit as an outstanding achievement of the Ferry-Morse Seed Co. These trials were conducted in all the major growing districts of the United States, which proves that *Paramount* has very general adaptation.

The curl in *Paramount*, generally described as "triple," is very uniform. The color is unusually rich dark green. The plants are



uniformly about 12 inches high.

For trade which demands the choicest quality, we predict that this new introduction will replace the ordinary strains now offered.

**Pkt. 15c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/2 lb. 65c.**

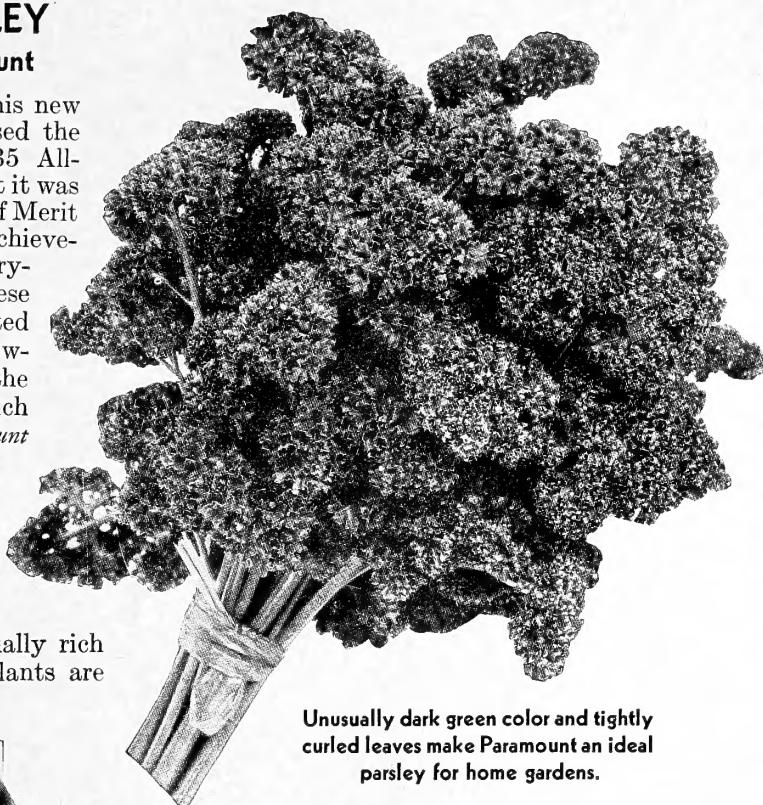
## CELERY

### Non-Bolting Golden Plume (Our 1936 introduction)

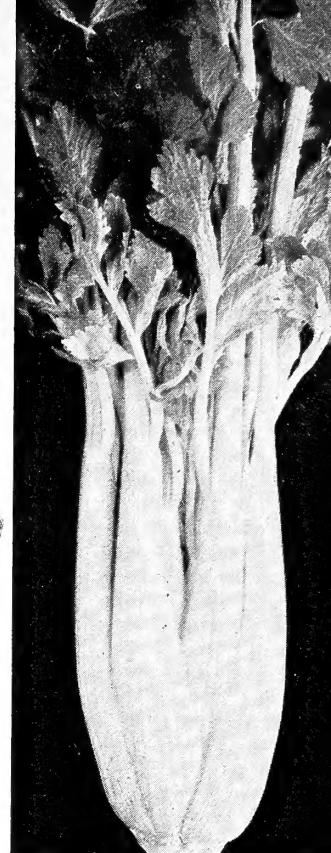
Particularly recommended for early planting in the North where unfavorable weather conditions cause ordinary strains to bolt to seed. It is similar to our regular Golden Plume in all respects except that the tops are a little darker and it is slightly later maturing. The plants are compact and upright, the hearts are full and of good length, the stems are broad and thick.

*Non-Bolting Golden Plume* blanches readily to clear creamy white, and its quality is equal to regular Golden Plume. It is not so resistant to Fusarium Yellows as Golden Plume and is not recommended for planting in sections where that disease is prevalent.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. \$1.50; oz. \$2.50; 2 oz. \$4.00.**



Unusually dark green color and tightly curled leaves make *Paramount* an ideal parsley for home gardens.



Non-Bolting Golden Plume is especially recommended for early planting in the North.

## CELERY

### Crispheart (Our 1936 introduction)

This is a new early maturing green celery of choicest quality. It is decidedly earlier and more easily blanched than Emperor or Utah. The stems are thick and free from strings; the flavor is rich but mild; the color is rich deep cream when blanched.

*Crispheart* should be preferred to Utah because of its earliness, and to Easy Blanching because of its decidedly better quality. (See Page 19 for illustration and further description.)

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. \$1.50; oz. \$2.50; 2 oz. \$4.00.**

## CELERY

### Golden Pascal (Our 1936 introduction)

This new celery has the texture of well blanched Giant Pascal, with the added advantages of attractive creamy color and distinct, yet rich and delicate flavor.

*Golden Pascal* blanches readily and should prove exceptionally desirable for home and market garden. It matures at about the same time as Dwarf Golden Self Blanching and has considerable resistance to Fusarium Yellows.

As an early fall celery, we believe *Golden Pascal* is unequalled. (See color photograph on back cover.)

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 oz. \$1.50; oz. \$2.50; 2 oz. \$4.00.**

# Hints for Success in Starting seed

## PREPARING THE SOIL

A rich sandy loam is well adapted to gardening. Other kinds of soil are suitable, but stiff clays need plenty of fibrous material and must be thoroughly broken up. Sandy soils generally need additional fertilizing.

When fertilizing is needed, well rotted stable manure is always beneficial, but it should be supplemented by commercial fertilizer containing a good percentage of phosphate and potash. Wood ashes may be applied liberally to most soils. For general use where manure is not available, a commercial fertilizer containing 4 per cent nitrates, 12 per cent phosphate, and 4 to 6 per cent potash, is usually best. Apply at the rate of about 4 pounds to the square rod.

Work the soil deeply and make the top three or four inches as fine and loose as possible. Remember that much weed killing can be done by hoeing or raking just before planting. Do not work clay soils when they are wet enough to stick to hoe or spade.

## PLANTING

When planting seed, avoid disappointment and possible failure by means of:

First—A constant and correct degree of moisture. The soil should always be moist, but never wet when avoidable. To retain moisture after planting, cover seed immediately with fine freshly prepared earth and press it down firmly and smoothly. This firming of the soil brings the particles of earth into close contact with the seeds, prevents drying out, and facilitates growth.

Second—The proper degree of heat. This is secured by planting when the atmospheric and soil temperatures are most favorable for germination of kind of seed that is to be planted. The best temperature for each sort may be learned from careful study of our cultural directions and by inquiry among the successful gardeners in your neighborhood.

Third—Covering the seed at the right depth. This varies with different kinds of seeds and conditions of soil and can be learned only through practical experience.

Fourth—Proper condition of the soil. It must be loose and soft so that the tender stems of seedlings can easily emerge and the young roots quickly find plant food. This is usually secured by careful preparation of the soil and by not planting fine seeds when the ground is wet.

## CULTIVATING

Stirring the surface soil during the period of growth kills weeds, loosens the ground so as to encourage root development, allows air to enter, and helps to conserve moisture. Cultivation may be deep at first, but as the plants grow it should be more shallow to avoid injury to the roots.

## STARTING PLANTS INDOORS

Such vegetables as tomato, pepper, egg plant, and celery, and many of the flowers can be started indoors. Shallow wooden boxes three to four inches deep and convenient to handle are suitable for this purpose. Use rich, loose soil and plant the seed rows about two inches apart. Place the box in a well lighted window and keep the soil moist. As soon as the seedlings are a half inch tall, transplant to other boxes, setting them at least two inches apart each way. Give the plants plenty of sunlight and only moderate temperature so that they

will not become spindling. Before setting in the garden, "harden off" the plants by placing the boxes outdoors on mild days, protecting them at night until they are able to stand the weather without injury.

## HOTBEDS

You can gain time and have early vegetables at small cost by means of a hotbed. The construction is simple, and the expense so slight that any gardener can provide one for himself.

## MANAGING THE HOTBED

In using a hotbed the essentials for success are:

1. Steady, uniform heat and moisture.
2. Keeping the soil a few degrees warmer than the air above it.
3. Careful "hardening off" before transplanting to the open air by gradual exposure to cooler temperature and by diminishing the supply of water.

The greatest difficulty in accomplishing these three essentials, probably, is overheating the air in bright sunshine. Great care and watchfulness will be necessary to avoid it.

Without experience one would scarcely believe how quickly the temperature in a well built hotbed will rise to 90 or 100 degrees upon a still, sunny day, even when the temperature outside is far below freezing; or how quickly the temperature will fall to that outside, if upon a windy, cloudy day the sash is left open ever so little. A rush of cold air driven over the plants is far more injurious than the same temperature when the air is still. Again, in cloudy weather, a bed can go several days without watering, but will dry up in an hour when open on a sunny day.

## TRANSPLANTING

In transplanting, either outdoors or from the hotbed:

Take care to avoid injury to the roots in taking up the plants.

Set plants out as soon as possible to prevent air from coming in contact with the roots.

Firm the soil around the plants so that they can take secure hold.

Provide shade to keep the hot sun from withering and blighting the leaves.

## WATERING

The best hours of the day to water plants are early morning or evening. The roots, however, may be watered at any time. One good soaking is better than many light sprinklings.

## COLD-FRAME

A cold-frame is a simple construction of boards for wintering young plants, such as cabbage, lettuce, cauliflower, etc.; it is also useful to protect and harden off plants from the greenhouse or hotbed before fully exposing them in the open air.

Select a dry, southern exposure and make a frame from four to six feet wide and as long as required. The back should be fourteen to eighteen inches high and the front eight to twelve, with a cross-tie every three feet. The frame may be covered with sash or cloth. Seeds of the vegetables to be wintered, sown in the open border early in September, will be ready to plant in cold-frames about the last of October. The soil should be well prepared and smoothly raked before planting. Admit air freely on pleasant days, but keep the frame closed in severe weather.

# A Planting Chart for Vegetables

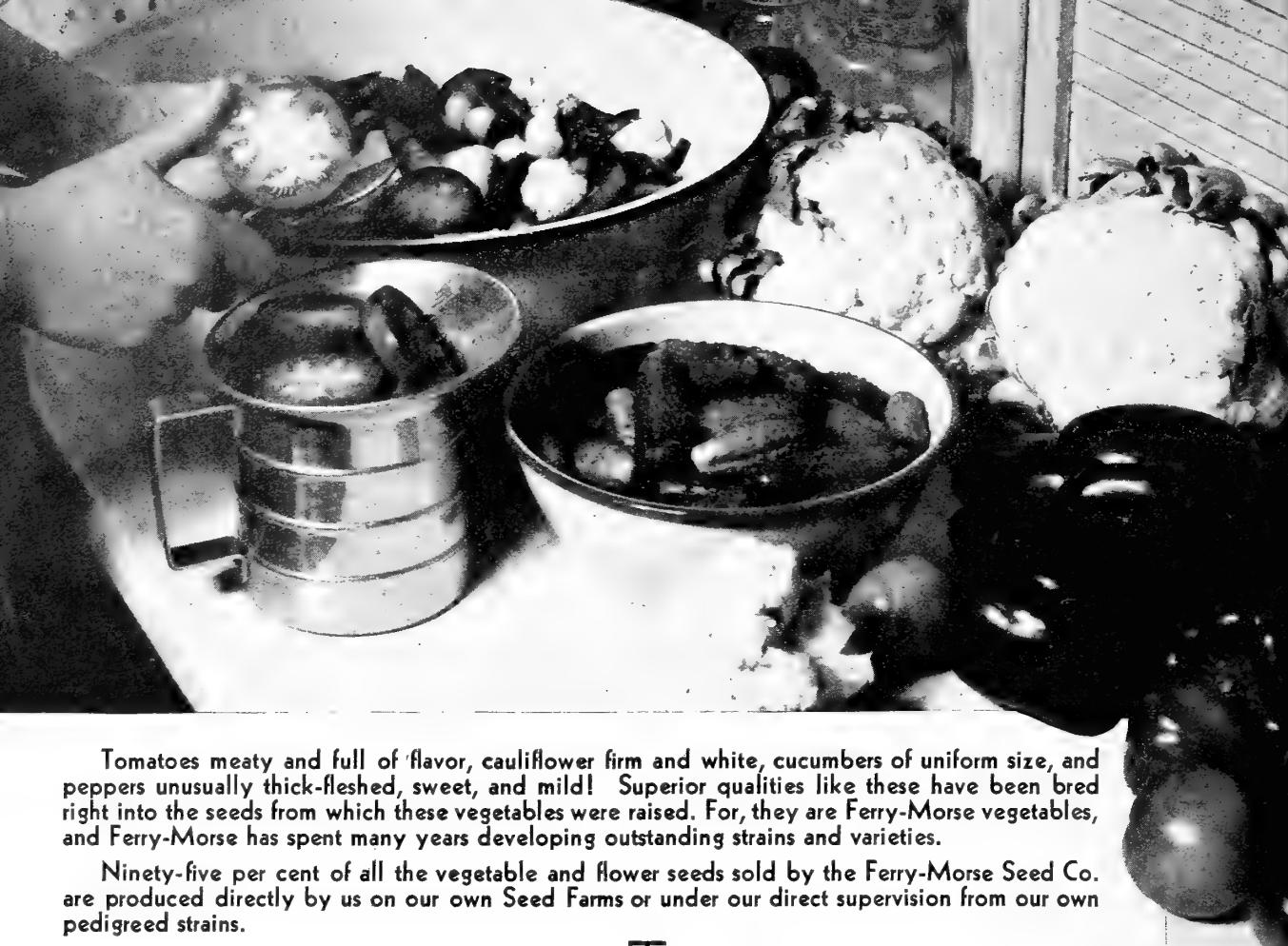
	QUANTITY NEEDED			DISTANCE	
	To Produce a Given No. of Plants	For 100 ft. of Row	To Sow an Acre	Apart in Row	Between Rows
Artichoke.....	1 oz. to 500	1/4 oz.	6 oz.	18 to 24 in.	36 to 48 in.
Asparagus.....	1 oz. to 800	1 oz.	4 lbs.	3 to 6 in.	12 to 24 in.
Asparagus Roots.....		40 to 60	3600 to 7200	18 to 36 in.	24 to 48 in.
Beans, Bush.....		2 lbs.	60 lbs.	2 to 4 in.	18 to 24 in.
Beans, Pole.....		1 lb.	30 lbs.	6 to 8 in.	36 to 48 in.
Beet, Table.....		1 oz.	8 to 15 lbs.	1 to 4 in.	18 to 24 in.
Beet, Mangel and Sugar.....		1 oz.	8 to 10 lbs.	3 to 6 in.	18 to 36 in.
Broccoli.....	1 oz. to 5000	1/4 oz.	3 oz.	18 to 24 in.	24 to 40 in.
Brussels Sprouts.....	1 oz. to 5000	1/4 oz.	3 oz.	18 to 24 in.	18 to 36 in.
Cabbage.....	1 oz. to 5000	1/4 oz.	3 oz.	12 to 24 in.	24 to 36 in.
Cardoon.....		1/2 oz.	4 oz.	18 to 30 in.	18 to 30 in.
Carrot.....		1/4 oz.	3 to 5 lbs.	1 to 3 in.	18 to 24 in.
Cauliflower.....	1 oz. to 5000	1/4 oz.	4 oz.	18 to 24 in.	24 to 30 in.
Celery.....	1 oz. to 10000	1/8 oz.	4 oz.	4 to 8 in.	20 to 48 in.
Chicory.....		1/2 oz.	4 lbs.	2 to 4 in.	18 to 36 in.
Collards.....	1 oz. to 5000	1/4 oz.	4 oz.	12 to 18 in.	24 to 30 in.
Corn, Pop.....		1/4 lb.	6 lbs.	4 to 6 in.	36 to 48 in.
Corn, Sweet.....		1/2 lb.	15 lbs.	4 to 6 in.	30 to 48 in.
Corn Salad.....		2 oz.	10 lbs.	2 to 4 in.	12 to 18 in.
Cress.....		1 oz.	10 lbs.	2 to 4 in.	12 to 18 in.
Cucumber.....		1 oz. to 100 hills	2 lbs.	1 to 3 ft.	3 to 6 ft.
Dandelion.....		1/2 oz.	5 lbs.	6 to 12 in.	18 to 24 in.
Dill.....		1/2 oz.	5 lbs.	4 to 8 in.	18 to 36 in.
Egg Plant.....	1 oz. to 2000		4 oz.	18 to 24 in.	24 to 30 in.
Endive.....		1 oz.	4 lbs.	8 to 12 in.	18 to 24 in.
Fennel.....		1 oz.	3 lbs.	4 to 12 in.	24 to 40 in.
Garlic.....		10 lbs.		3 to 4 in.	12 to 24 in.
Horseradish Roots.....		400	10000 to 15000	12 to 18 in.	30 to 36 in.
Kale.....	1 oz. to 5000	1/2 oz.	4 lbs.	18 to 24 in.	24 to 36 in.
Kohl Rabi.....		1/2 oz.	4 lbs.	3 to 6 in.	12 to 24 in.
Leek.....		1/2 oz.	4 lbs.	2 to 4 in.	12 to 42 in.
Lettuce.....		1/4 oz.	3 lbs.	4 to 14 in.	12 to 18 in.
Melon, Musk.....		1 oz. to 100 hills	2 lbs.	2 to 3 ft.	6 to 8 ft.
Melon, Water.....		4 oz. to 100 hills	4 lbs.	2 to 3 ft.	6 to 8 ft.
Mustard.....		1/2 oz.	5 lbs.	4 to 8 in.	12 to 24 in.
Okra.....		2 oz.	8 lbs.	18 to 24 in.	24 to 36 in.
Onion.....		1/2 oz.	5 lbs.	2 to 4 in.	18 to 30 in.
Onion (for sets).....			40 to 80 lbs.	Not thinned	12 to 14 in.
Parsnip.....		1/2 oz.	3 lbs.	3 to 4 in.	18 to 24 in.
Parsley.....		1/4 oz.	3 lbs.	4 to 8 in.	12 to 18 in.
Peas, Garden.....		1 lb.	90 to 150 lbs.	1 to 3 in.	24 to 36 in.
Pepper.....	1 oz. to 1000	1/8 oz.	8 oz.	15 to 18 in.	18 to 30 in.
Pumpkin.....		3/4 lb. to 100 hills	3 to 4 lbs.	3 to 4 ft.	8 to 12 ft.
Radish.....		1 oz.	10 to 12 lbs.	1 in.	12 to 18 in.
Rhubarb.....		1 oz.	3 lbs.	18 to 24 in.	24 to 48 in.
Rutabaga.....		1/2 oz.	2 to 4 lbs.	6 to 8 in.	18 to 24 in.
Sage.....		1 oz.	4 to 5 lbs.	6 to 12 in.	18 to 24 in.
Salsify.....		1 oz.	8 lbs.	2 to 4 in.	18 to 24 in.
Savory, Summer.....		1/2 oz.	1 lb.	6 to 8 in.	18 to 24 in.
Sorrel.....		1 oz.	5 lbs.	2 to 4 in.	12 to 24 in.
Spinach.....		1 oz.	8 lbs.	3 to 6 in.	12 to 18 in.
Squash, Summer.....		4 oz. to 100 hills	4 lbs.	3 to 4 ft.	3 to 4 ft.
Squash, Winter.....		8 oz. to 100 hills	2 lbs.	3 to 4 ft.	6 to 9 ft.
Sunflower.....		2 oz.	8 lbs.	8 to 12 in.	3 to 6 ft.
Tomato.....	1 oz. to 3000		4 oz.	2 to 6 ft.	3 to 7 ft.
Tobacco.....	1 oz. to 5000		2 oz.	2 to 3 ft.	3 to 4 ft.
Turnip.....		1 oz.	1 to 2 lbs.	3 to 4 in.	12 to 24 in.

## Number of plants to the acre at given distances

Dis. apart	No. plants						
12 x 1 in.	522,720	24 x 24 in.	10,890	36 x 36 in.	4,840	60 x 60 in.	1,743
12 x 3 in.	174,240	30 x 1 in.	209,088	42 x 12 in.	12,446	8 x 1 ft.	5,445
12 x 12 in.	43,560	30 x 6 in.	34,848	42 x 24 in.	6,223	8 x 3 ft.	1,815
16 x 1 in.	392,040	30 x 12 in.	17,424	42 x 36 in.	4,148	8 x 8 ft.	680
18 x 1 in.	348,480	30 x 16 in.	13,068	48 x 12 in.	10,890	10 x 1 ft.	4,356
18 x 3 in.	116,160	30 x 20 in.	10,454	48 x 18 in.	7,790	10 x 6 ft.	726
18 x 12 in.	29,040	30 x 24 in.	8,712	48 x 24 in.	5,445	10 x 10 ft.	435
18 x 18 in.	19,360	30 x 30 in.	6,970	48 x 30 in.	4,356	12 x 1 ft.	3,630
20 x 1 in.	313,635	36 x 3 in.	58,080	48 x 36 in.	3,630	12 x 5 ft.	736
20 x 20 in.	15,681	36 x 12 in.	14,520	48 x 48 in.	2,723	12 x 12 ft.	302
24 x 1 in.	261,360	36 x 18 in.	9,680	60 x 36 in.	2,901	16 x 1 ft.	2,722
24 x 18 in.	15,520	36 x 24 in.	7,260	60 x 48 in.	2,178	16 x 16 ft.	170

Approximate number of feet of row per acre at given distances:

Distance between rows:	18 inches	24 inches	30 inches	36 inches	42 inches	48 inches
Feet of row:	29010	21758	17427	14526	12439	10853



Tomatoes meaty and full of flavor, cauliflower firm and white, cucumbers of uniform size, and peppers unusually thick-fleshed, sweet, and mild! Superior qualities like these have been bred right into the seeds from which these vegetables were raised. For, they are Ferry-Morse vegetables, and Ferry-Morse has spent many years developing outstanding strains and varieties.

Ninety-five per cent of all the vegetable and flower seeds sold by the Ferry-Morse Seed Co. are produced directly by us on our own Seed Farms or under our direct supervision from our own pedigreed strains.

## If it's a matter of Taste, choose from this list

As a home gardener, you probably like to grow varieties of vegetables that taste the best. Here are some that have been **SPECIALLY SELECTED** for **UNUSUALLY FINE FLAVOR**, along with their other excellent qualities. Look for their descriptions on the vegetable pages.

**BEANS—Bush Green Pod**—Bountiful; Stringless Green Pod; Full Measure; Red Valentine. **Bush Wax Pod**—Prolific Black Wax; Stringless Kidney Wax; Sure Crop Wax; Ferry's Golden Wax. **Pole**—Kentucky Wonder. Lima—Henderson's Bush.

**BEET**—Detroit Dark Red.

**BROCCOLI**—Italian Sprouting.

**BRUSSELS SPROUTS**—Long Island Improved.

**CABBAGE—Early**—Copenhagen Market. **Midseason**—Midseason Market. **Late**—Ferry's Hollander.

**CARROT**—Nantes; Chantenay; Danvers.

**CELERY—Early**—Golden Yellow Self-Blanching. **Late**—Giant Pascal.

**CORN—Midseason**—Charlevoix; Golden Bantam. **Late**—Country Gentleman; Stowell's Evergreen.

**CUCUMBER**—Early White Spine; Boston Pickling; Improved Long Green.

**EGG PLANT**—New York Purple.

**ENDIVE**—Broad Leaved Batavian (Escarolle).

**KALE**—Dwarf Green Curled Scotch.

**KOHL RABI**—Early White Vienna.

**LEEK**—Monstrous Carentan.

**LETTUCE—Heading**—Big Boston; New York (Iceberg Type). Leaf—Black Seeded Simpson.

**MUSKMELON—Orange Fleshed**—Emerald Gem; Tip Top; Hearts of Gold; Extra Early Osage.

**Green Fleshed**—Netted Gem (Rocky Ford).

**WATER MELON**—Kleckley's Sweets (Monte Cristo); Stone Mountain; Harris' Earliest; Tom Watson.

**MUSTARD**—Southern Giant Curled; Tendergreen (Mustard Spinach).

**OKRA or GUMBO**—Dwarf Long Pod Green; White Velvet.

**ONION—White**—White Portugal. **Yellow**—Yellow Globe Danvers; Sweet Spanish (Riverside Strain). **Red**—Southport Red Globe.

**PARSLEY**—Champion Moss Curled (Extra Triple Curled).

**PARSNIP**—Hollow Crown.

**PEPPER—Sweet**—California Wonder; Ruby King. **Hot**—Long Red Cayenne.

**PEAS—Dwarf**—Premium Gem; Laxton's Progress. **Medium Tall**—Thomas Laxton; Gradus. **Pole**—Telephone.

**PUMPKIN**—Sugar or New England Pie.

**RADISH—Early**—Early Scarlet Globe. **Midseason**—Icicle. **Late**—Round Black Spanish; Celestial (Chinese White Winter).

**SPINACH—Early**—Savoy Leaved. **Midseason**—Giant Thick Leaved. **Late**—Juliana.

**SQUASH—Summer**—Early White Bush Scallop; Summer Crookneck. **Winter**—Delicious; Hubbard; Table Queen or Des Moines.

**TOMATO**—Bonny Best; Marglobe (Wilt Resistant); Ponderosa.

**TURNIP**—Purple Top White Globe.

**RUTABAGA**—American Purple Top.

# and grow a Vegetable Garden of Quality

## ARTICHOKE

Seed may be planted during March or April in a bed arranged so that the young plants can be given protection until danger of frost is past. When large enough to transplant, they should be set in rows about 4 feet apart and about 2 feet apart in the row. In localities where winter temperatures are not severe, such plants will produce a crop of buds the second year. Where winters are severe, they must be mulched with a heavy dressing of leaves or straw to protect the crowns.

Note—The seed we offer is of the true Artichoke and should not be confused with the Jerusalem Artichoke.

**GREEN GLOBE** Plants of medium height with large thistle-like medium deep green foliage. The edible buds or flower heads are deep green, globe-shaped or ovoid. The fleshy bud scales, moderately broad and full at base, are regarded as a delicacy.  
Pkt. 5c; oz. 65c; 2 oz. \$1.20; 1/4 lb. \$2.00.

## ASPARAGUS

When starting an asparagus bed from seed, it is advisable to soak the seed for 24 hours before planting. This makes germination more rapid and certain. Sow in spring in rows about 18 inches apart, allowing 15 to 20 seeds to the foot. Cover 2 inches deep. When plants are well established, thin to about an inch apart. Hoe frequently during the summer. The plants will be ready to set in a permanent bed the following spring.

When planting roots for the permanent bed, the soil should be worked to a depth of 16 or 18 inches and a liberal dressing of stable manure or peat-moss and a good fertilizer applied. Make trenches about 4 inches deep and 6 inches wide and place the roots crown up about 2 feet apart. Leave the rows at least 4 feet apart. With care, a bed of 500 square feet, requiring about 100 roots, will amply provide for an average family for 8 or 10 years.

**MARY WASHINGTON** A strain selected from Martha Washington. It is a little earlier and more vigorous than the original. The shoots are slightly ovoid in shape, firm and tender and richly flavored.

Seed—pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 2 oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 40c;

Roots—\$1.25 per 25; \$2.25 per 100, postpaid in U. S. A.

## BEANS

Plant beans after all danger of frost is past, in warm, dry, well-prepared soil. The rows should be 2 to 3 feet apart and the seeds covered 1 1/2 to 2 inches deep. Thin the young plants to 3 to 6 inches apart in the rows.

Shallow cultivation should be frequent until blossoming; then stop to avoid injury to the roots. (Root injury causes the blossoms to fall off.) For succession, plant every 2 weeks until midsummer. Frequent picking of the crop insures long bearing. Two pounds of seed sow 100 feet, and 60 pounds sow 1 acre.

Not less than 5 lbs. of a variety sold at the 10 lb. rate.  
Postpaid in U. S. A.

### BUSH—GREEN POD

**BOUNTIFUL** 48 days. Very desirable for home and market garden; particularly valuable for early shipping. Plant large, thrifty, prolific. Pods clear light green; 6 1/2 to 7 inches long, over 1/2 inch wide, flat, 3/8 inch thick; fleshy, very slightly fibrous, stringless, brittle and tender. Seeds straw yellow.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**BLACK VALENTINE** 53 days. Well adapted for shipping, but too tough and fibrous for home gardens. In California this bean is usually called "French String." It is grown by the market gardeners for the earliest bean and used when the pod is about the size of a thick shoe-string. Plant medium large, thrifty, hardy, prolific. Pods dark green, very uniform and symmetrical; nearly 1/2 inch wide and almost round; retain handsome color and firm texture long after picking. Seeds solid black.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

**BROAD WINDSOR LONG POD** (Also known as Fava Bean and as Horse Bean; not a kidney bean.) Late. Valuable for green shell use. Plant very large and erect, strictly bush. Pods glossy green; 5 inches long, 1 1/4 inches broad, stout; 3 seeded; smooth. Green shell beans large, broad, flat, light green. Dry seeds very large; circular, flat; pale reddish-brown with black eye.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**DWARF HORTICULTURAL** Snap pods 53 days; green shell beans 60 days. Particularly desirable green shell and snap sort for home and market garden. Plant medium small, thrifty and productive. Pods dark green at snap stage, becoming greenish-yellow splashed with carmine; 5 to 5 1/2 inches long, 5/8 inch wide and flat at snap stage, becoming almost round at green shell stage; strictly stringless, slightly fibrous. Seeds plump oval, pinkish-buff, spotted and streaked with purplish-red.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**EARLY MOHAWK** 50 days. Snap pods splendid for shipping. Plant large, very hardy, heavily productive. Pods medium green; 6 to 6 1/2 inches long; flat oval; coarse and somewhat fibrous. Seeds medium large; violet splashed with pale buff.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**EARLY REFUGEE** 53 days. Desirable for shipping and canning. Plant medium small; compact; hardy; very productive. Pods light green; 4 1/2 to 5 inches long, 3/8 inch thick, round; uniform; stringless at snap stage; fleshy, brittle, fine grained. Seeds dark violet mottled with buff.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

**FORDHOOK FAVORITE** 52 days. Attractive medium dark green pods, fleshy and tender; nearly round, 5 1/2 to 6 inches long, and of fine flavor. Seeds pure white, and if allowed to ripen are useful for baking or soup.

Carton 10c. (Cartons only)

**FULL MEASURE** 52 days. Unsurpassed for home and market garden. Plant large, thrifty, heavily productive. Pods medium green, 6 to 6 1/2 inches long, 3/8 inch thick, round; very fleshy, brittle, stringless, fine grained. Seeds reddish-brown mottled with buff.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**GIANT STRINGLESS GREEN POD** 53 days. One of the best for home and market garden; very desirable for canning. Plant large, hardy, heavily productive. Pods medium green, 6 to 6 1/2 inches long, 3/8 to 1/4 inch thick, round; very fleshy, brittle, and stringless. Seeds glossy yellowish-brown.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**REFUGEE or 1000 TO 1** (Sometimes called Late Refugee, Round Pod Refugee, and Improved Refugee.) 70 days. Very popular canning and pickling sort. Plant large, hardy, extremely productive. Pods medium green; very uniform, 5 to 5 1/2 inches long, 3/8 inch thick, round; stringy at later stages; very fleshy, brittle, and fine grained. Seeds dark violet-purple splashed with buff. Similar to Stringless Refugee, but pods somewhat stringy.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**RED VALENTINE** 52 days. One of the most dependably productive for home and market garden, unexcelled in quality for snaps. Plant medium sized, erect, compact, hardy. Pods medium green; 4 1/2 to 5 inches long, 3/8 inch thick; wider than thick; very slightly stringy; extremely fleshy; brittle, fine grained, tender. Seeds purplish-red splashed with buff; of irregular shape.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

# Stringless beans are best for "Snaps"

## BUSH—GREEN POD (Continued)

**STRINGLESS BLACK VALENTINE** 53 days. An improved type of Black Valentine producing pods entirely free from strings. An excellent shipping sort and also adapted for market garden use. Plants large, thrifty, and prolific. Pods oval, straight or slightly curved, dark green, and of very good quality. Seeds black.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**STRINGLESS GREEN POD** 53 days. High quality for home and market garden. Plant large, thrifty, heavily productive. Pods medium green; 5½ inches long, almost ½ inch wide and equally thick; very fleshy, strictly stringless, fine grained, tender. Seeds coffee brown. Pods similar to Giant Stringless Green Pod and Full Measure, but a trifle shorter and thicker.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**STRINGLESS RED VALENTINE** 54 days. A strain which produces pods entirely stringless, but which is similar in other characteristics to Red Valentine.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**STRINGLESS REFUGEE** 70 days. Splendid canning variety; young pods particularly valuable for canning and pickling whole. Plant large; very hardy; extremely productive. Pods medium green; very uniform, 5 to 5½ inches long, ¾ inch thick, round; absolutely stringless, very fleshy, brittle and fine grained. Seeds dark violet-purple splashed with buff. Variety differs from Refugee or 1000 to 1 chiefly in being absolutely stringless.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**TENDERGREEN** 54 days. An excellent home and market garden variety. Plants large, erect, productive. Pods round, fleshy, stringless, and of fine quality. Seeds brown, mottled with light fawn.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**TENNESSEE GREEN POD** 54 days. High quality for home and market garden. Plant large, with long fruiting branches. Pods dark green; 6 to 7 inches long, ¾ inch wide, flat; fleshy, brittle, slightly stringy, of fine flavor. Seeds yellowish-brown.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**EARLY MARROW PEA OR WHITE NAVY** (The common white pea bean of commerce.) Ripe in 90 to 100 days. Plant large with tendency to form runners; hardy, very prolific; ripens uniformly. Pods 4 inches long. Dry beans small, white.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c;  
10 lbs. \$2.50.



The mere sight of deep creamy-yellow pods of Sure Crop Wax makes one "bean hungry."

**LARGE WHITE MARROW or MOUNTAIN** Ripe in 100 days. High quality large bean for use dry. Plant large with tendency to form runners; very vigorous and productive. Pods 5½ inches long. Dry beans medium large, white.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

**WHITE KIDNEY** Ripe in 100 days. High quality large bean for use dry. Plant large with tendency to form runners; hardy, heavily productive. Pods 6 to 6½ inches long. Dry beans large, long kidney shape; white. Also called Royal Dwarf Kidney.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

## BUSH—WAX POD

**CHALLENGE BLACK WAX** 45 days. The earliest garden bean. Plant small, moderately productive. Pods yellow; 4 to 4½ inches long, ¾ inch thick, round; fleshy, stringless, brittle, tender. Seeds black.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**CURRIE'S RUST PROOF WAX** 50 days. Well adapted for shipping. Plant thrifty and productive. Pods attractive; yellow; 6 inches long, straight, ½ inch wide, thick, oval; fleshy, moderately fibrous and stringy. Seeds black.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**DAVIS WHITE WAX** 52 days. Well adapted for shipping. Plant large and thrifty. Pods uniform and attractive; light yellow; 6 inches long, ½ inch wide, thick, oval; fleshy and tender when young but become somewhat fibrous and stringy. Seeds white and excellent for baking.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**FERRY'S GOLDEN WAX** 48 days. A splendid home garden variety; also much used for canning. Plant small, productive. Pods very attractive; golden yellow; 4½ to 5 inches long, ½ inch wide, thick, oval; fleshy, brittle, stringless. Seeds white, splashed with violet-carmine and purple.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**GRENNELL RUST PROOF WAX** 48 days. Similar to Ferry's Golden Wax. Pods attractive; golden yellow; 4½ to 5 inches long, ½ inch wide, thick, oval; fleshy, brittle, stringless, slightly fibrous. Seeds white, splashed with brownish-maroon and brownish-yellow.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**HODSON WAX** 65 days. Splendidly adapted for shipping. Plant large, thrifty, with slender branches; heavily productive, notably resistant to disease. Pods attractive; light yellow; 6½ to 7 inches long, ½ inch wide, thick, oval; fleshy and tender when very young, but become tough and stringy. Seeds purplish-red splashed with pale buff.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**PENCIL POD WAX** 52 days. Very desirable for home and market garden and for truckers. Plant large and thrifty; heavily productive over long period. Pods handsome bright yellow, 5½ to 6 inches long, ¾ inch thick, cylindrical; very fleshy, stringless, brittle, fine grained, and tender; quality unexcelled. Seeds black.

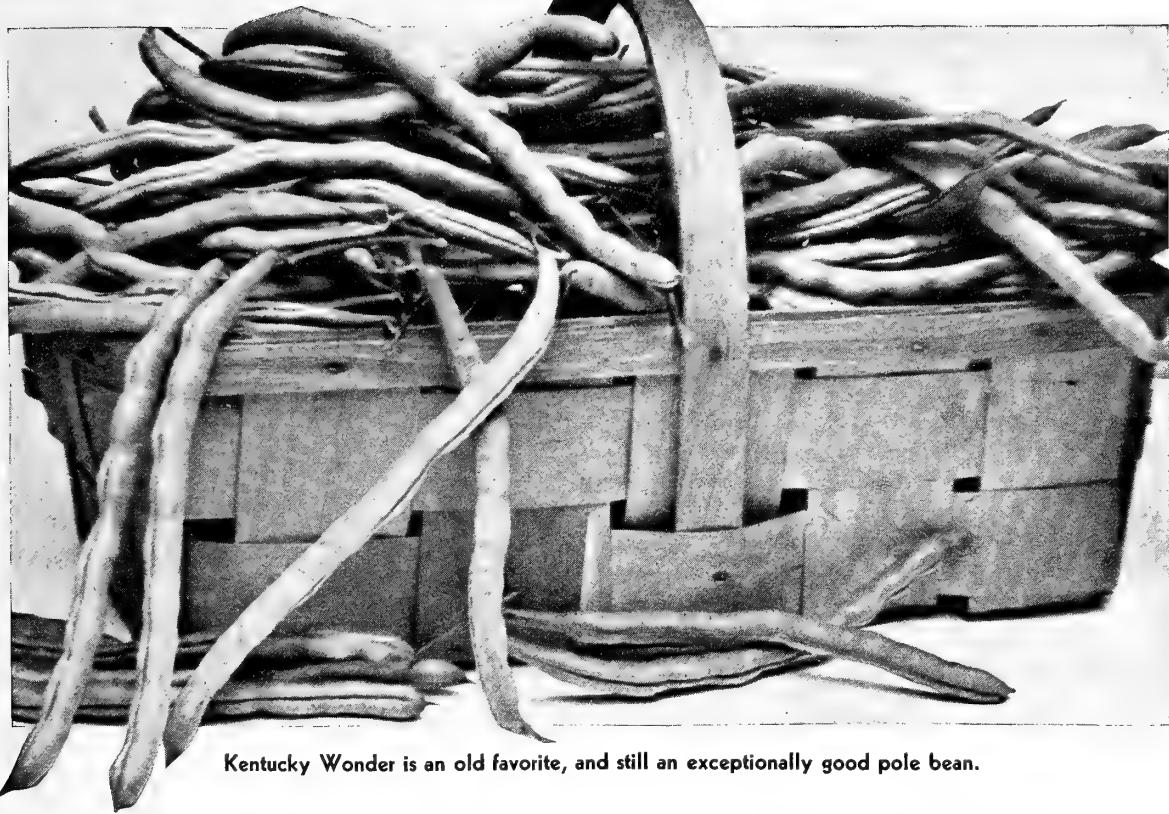
Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**PROLIFIC BLACK WAX** 52 days. Good home and market garden sort. Plant small; heavily productive over long period. Pods golden yellow; 4½ inches long, ¾ inch thick, round; fleshy, brittle, strictly stringless, fine grained and tender. Seeds black.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**REFUGEE WAX** 52 days. A valuable canner's bean. Plant medium small; very hardy and prolific. Pods pale yellow; 4½ to 5 inches long, ¾ inch thick; cylindrical; fleshy, brittle, stringless, and tender. Seeds purple mottled with buff.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.



Kentucky Wonder is an old favorite, and still an exceptionally good pole bean.

### BUSH—WAX POD (Continued)

**ROUND POD KIDNEY WAX** (Also known as Brittle Wax) 52 days. Especially valuable for the home garden as well as for canning. Plant erect, medium large, prolific. Pods handsome, waxy light yellow;  $5\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 inches long, round, fully  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch thick; very fleshy, brittle, stringless, without fibre; of highest quality. Seeds white with brownish-black eye.

Carton 10c; lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

**STRINGLESS KIDNEY WAX** 53 days. Desirable for home or market garden and for canning. Plant large, thrifty, very productive. Pods rich creamy-yellow;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch wide, almost round; fleshy, stringless, brittle, fine grained, and tender. Seeds white with blackish eye.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**SURE CROP WAX** 53 days. Particularly valuable for market garden and shipping. Plant large and dependably productive. Pods deep yellow; 6 to  $6\frac{1}{2}$  inches long,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch wide; thick, very fleshy, stringless, brittle, fine grained. Similar to Currie's Rust Proof, but a trifle later and with longer pods. Seeds purplish-black.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**UNRIValed WAX** 53 days. Extremely prolific home and market garden sort. Plant medium large, thrifty, resistant. Pods attractive clear yellow;  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, about  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch wide; flat but fleshy, brittle, stringless, and tender. Seeds small, glossy yellowish-brown.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX** 53 days. Particularly valuable for home and market garden. Plants large and thrifty. Pods attractive golden yellow;  $5\frac{3}{4}$  to 6 inches long,  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch wide,  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch thick; fleshy, brittle, stringless, fine grained, and tender. Seeds white with brownish-black eye.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**WEBBER WAX** 48 days. Extremely early and productive. Pods 5 to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, flat but thick, brittle, and of good quality. Especially recommended for home and market garden.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

### POLE—GREEN POD

**BURGER'S GREEN POD STRINGLESS** (Kentucky Wonder White Seeded) 63 days. The finest quality of any of the pole beans. Home garden or early market. Pods dark green; 6 to 7 inches long; slender, roundish, stringless, fleshy, brittle. Dry beans white; suitable for baking.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**IMPROVED LONDON HORTICULTURAL** Snaps, 65 days; green shell beans, 74 days. Splendid for home and market garden. Good climber, thrifty, heavily productive. Pods green, becoming splashed with carmine at green shell stage; 7 inches long,  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch wide; thick, straight, stringless. Seeds large, pinkish-buff splashed with red. This is 4 to 6 days earlier than London Horticultural or Speckled Cranberry, and pods are an inch longer.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**KENTUCKY WONDER (Old Homestead)** 65 days. This most popular of all pole beans should be in every garden. The dark green pods are round and long, measuring 9 to 10 inches; they are always stringless as snaps, and never become tough. Seeds dun-colored.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**LAZY WIFE** 74 days. Excellent for snaps, green shell, and dry shell beans for home and market garden. Good climber, heavily productive. Pods medium green; 6 to  $6\frac{1}{2}$  inches long,  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch wide; thick, straight, fleshy, stringless, brittle, tender. Seeds plump, white.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**LONDON HORTICULTURAL OR SPECKLED CRANBERRY** Snaps 70 days; green shell beans 80 days. Standard for home and market garden. Good climber. Pods 6 inches long,  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch wide, thick, straight, stringless; dark green at snap stage, becoming yellowish-green splashed with violet-red at green shell stage. A trifle later than Improved London Horticultural and pods shorter.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**McCASLAN POLE** 65 days. Excellent for home and market garden for snaps and for dry shell use. Good climber. Pods 8 inches long; medium green, slightly flattened, fleshy, of good quality. Seeds white. Similar to Kentucky Wonder aside from color of seeds; similar to St. Louis Perfection White, but often a little earlier.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

# Plant Plenty of vegetables

## POLE—GREEN POD (Continued)

### ST. LOUIS PERFECTION

**WHITE** 65 days. Popular for snaps in home and market gardens; suitable for dry shell use. Good climber; productive over long period. Pods medium green; 8 to 9 inches long, nearly round, and  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch in diameter; fleshy, brittle, almost stringless, of splendid quality. Seeds white. Aside from color of seeds, somewhat similar to Kentucky Wonder.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**SCARLET RUNNER** About in season with pole limas. Good climber. Flowers scarlet, decorative. Pods dark green; 6 inches long; flat oval; fleshy; desirable for snaps and green shell beans. Seeds kidney-shaped, flat; dark purple spotted with reddish-buff.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**SCOTIA OR STRIPED CREESEBACK** 72 days. Unexcelled corn-field bean for snaps. Good climber, heavily productive. Pods light green, becoming purple spotted; 6 inches long,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch wide, almost as thick; very fleshy, almost stringless, brittle, tender. Seeds light brown striped black.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

**WHITE CREESEBACK** 62 days. Splendid snap bean for home garden and early market. Good climber, heavily productive. Pods light green,  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches long,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch wide, almost as thick; nearly stringless, very fleshy, brittle, tender. Seeds white; excellent for baking.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

## POLE—WAX POD

**KENTUCKY WONDER WAX** 67 days. Good climber, heavily productive. Pods waxy yellow; 8 inches long,  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch wide, almost as thick as wide; practically stringless, fleshy, brittle, tender. Seeds chocolate brown.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

## LIMA BEANS—DWARF

**BURPEE'S IMPROVED BUSH** 75 days. Plant large, heavily productive. Pods large,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 inches long,  $1\frac{1}{8}$  inches wide,  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch thick; usually contain 4 large, thick beans. Dry beans large, flat, greenish-white.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.75.

**DWARF LARGE WHITE LIMA** (Burpee's) 75 to 78 days. Standard large-seeded bush lima. Plant large, heavily productive. Pods  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches long,  $1\frac{1}{8}$  inches wide,  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch thick; contain 3 to 4 large, thick beans of splendid quality. Dry beans large, flat; white. Similar to, but often a trifle later and pods a little shorter than Burpee's Improved Bush Lima.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.75.

**FORDHOOK BUSH LIMA** (Potato Lima) 75 days. Plant large, erect, heavily productive. Pods 4 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches long; stout,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches wide,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick; contain 3 to 4 seeds. Green shell beans large, very plump, of the highest quality. Dry beans large, very plump; white.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.75.

**HENDERSON'S BUSH** (Baby Lima) 65 days. Very popular for canning. Plant medium large, heavily productive. Pods small; 3 inches long,  $\frac{7}{8}$  inch wide,  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch thick; contain 3 to 4 seeds. Green shell beans small, flat, of splendid quality. Dry beans white. This is the bush form of Small White Lima (Carolina or Sieva).

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

**JACKSON WONDER BUSH** Popular in the South. Pods of medium size, holding 4 or 5 moderately thick, fairly large beans of good quality. Dry seed triangular in shape, mottled and speckled with brownish-red markings.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.75.

## For Small Gardens!

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## POLE LIMAS

### DETROIT MAMMOTH LIMA

**95** days. The largest podded pole lima. Splendid climber, heavily productive as far North as Ohio. Pods 9 to 11 inches long; very broad, with 5 to 7 large flat beans. Seeds very large, thick, flat; white.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c;  
10 lbs. \$3.00.

**KING OF THE GARDEN** 88 days. Good climber, heavily productive. Pods 6 inches long,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches wide,  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch thick; straight, with 4 or 5 beans. Seeds large, thick, flat; white. An improved form of Large White Lima.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**LARGE WHITE LIMA** 88 days. Heavily productive climber. Pods 5 to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches long,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches wide,  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch thick, usually with 4 large beans of excellent quality. Dry beans large, flat; white. Similar to King of the Garden Lima.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**SEIBERT'S EARLY LIMA** 80 days. Early and dependably productive for home, market garden, and for canning. Pods 5 inches long,  $1\frac{1}{8}$  inches wide,  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch thick. Seeds large, thick; white.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**SMALL WHITE LIMA** (Carolina or Sieva) 78 days. Heavy yielder. Pods  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches long,  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch wide,  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch thick, with 3 or 4 seeds. Green shell beans small, flat, of splendid quality. Seeds white. Aside from the climbing habit, later season, and slightly larger pods and seeds, this is similar to the bush form, Henderson's Bush Lima (Baby Lima).

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$2.75.

## BEET

Seed should be sown at the rate of one ounce to 100 feet of row. The rows should be spaced 18 to 24 inches apart. Work the soil well and cover the seeds about an inch deep. A rich sandy loam is most favorable, but nearly all types of soil will produce beets if sufficiently fertilized and properly tilled.

When the seedlings are about an inch tall it is well to thin them to about one-half inch apart. When they have grown 5 or 6 inches, the alternate plants in the row may be pulled and used for greens. This can be repeated as often as the roots touch in the rows or until they reach good table size. Beets are usually most tender and succulent when about 2 inches in diameter.

By planting at intervals of two to three weeks until July, greens and beets will be supplied regularly until late fall. The roots from the later plantings may be stored and kept for winter use.

**Note**—In the following list we offer two distinct strains of Crosby's Beet. They are alike in shape, but very different in color. If you want the dark colored or Boston Crosby strain, order it under the name of Crosby's Egyptian. If you want the lighter or orange-red strain, ask for Ferry's Crosby.

## TABLE VARIETIES

**CRIMSON KING** Very useful in the home and market garden for those who desire a fine large beet of deep blood-red color. Roots are globular, smooth, refined; under favorable conditions they reach a diameter of  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 inches; both tops and tap-roots small; color very even.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.50.

**CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN** (Original Strain) 50 to 55 days. Splendid home and market garden sort. Tops medium in size; collar small. Root flattened globe-shape, with small tap-root; very dark purplish-red. Flesh deep purplish-red zoned with a lighter shade; crisp and tender. See "Note" at beginning.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c; lb. \$1.35.

# to eat Fresh and to Can

**DETROIT DARK RED** 52 to 55 days. The standard of excellence in table beets for home and market garden, for shipping, and for canning. Tops uniform, small, slender, erect. Roots globe-shaped; symmetrical, with small collar and small tap-root; very dark blood-red. Interior very uniform in color, the zones so inconspicuous that the flesh seems to be one solid ball of deep blood-red meat; remains tender and of highest quality until roots are full grown.

**Morse's Strain** A strain of recent development. Produces smaller, more spherical roots and distinctly shorter tops than the original type.

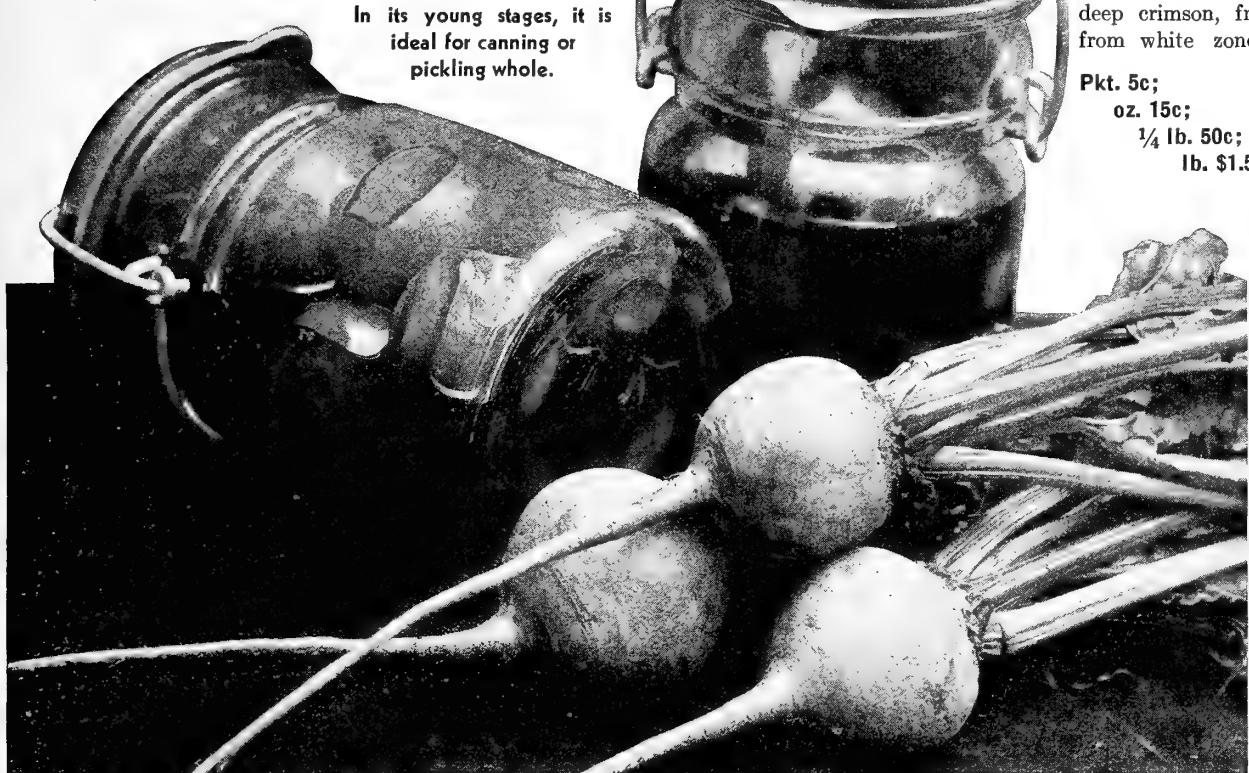
Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c; lb. \$1.35.

**Ferry's Strain** The original type introduced by us many years ago.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c; lb. \$1.35.

For every purpose, there is no better beet than Detroit Dark Red.

In its young stages, it is ideal for canning or pickling whole.



**EARLY WONDER** 50 to 55 days. Very desirable for home and market garden. Tops small. Root flattened globe-shape with small collar and tap-root; dark purplish-red. Flesh deep purplish-red zoned a lighter shade.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c; lb. \$1.35.

**EARLY BLOOD TURNIP** 60 days. For home and market garden. Tops medium small, but fairly coarse. Roots deep turnip-shaped; dark purplish-red. Flesh deep purplish-red zoned with a lighter shade.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

**EXTRA EARLY FLAT EGYPTIAN** 50 days. Best for forcing and particularly valuable for early market. Tops small and upright; roots flattened, with long slender tap-roots; flesh dark purplish-red zoned lighter.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

**FERRY'S CROSBY** 50 to 55 days. Of excellent quality for home garden and early market. Tops small, but fairly coarse. Root deep turnip-shaped, almost globular; bright carmine-red. Flesh bright vermillion-red with fainter zoning. See "Note" at beginning.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25.

**GOOD FOR ALL** 52 to 55 days. An excellent new variety developed from Detroit Dark Red. Especially fine for canning and pickling whole at  $1\frac{1}{4}$  to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter.

Roots smooth, even in size and shape, and almost perfectly globular; collar and tap-roots very small; interior deep crimson, free from white zones.

Pkt. 5c;  
oz. 15c;  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c;  
lb. \$1.50.

**LONG DARK BLOOD** (Above Ground) Roots 8 to 10 inches long produced in 80 to 90 days. The best table beet for field culture; a splendid keeper; superior for pickles. Tops large, upright. Roots grow  $\frac{1}{8}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  above ground; very dark purplish-red below and grayish-russeted above ground; become 14 to 16 inches long; 3 inches thick at shoulder and tapered. Flesh very dark purplish-red with indistinct zones of a lighter shade.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.10.

# You Can't grow Too Many vegetables

## MANGEL WURZEL

Valuable as stock feed. Plant early in the spring in rows  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart. The seeds should be 1 inch apart in the row and covered by  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches of soil firmly pressed down. Cultivate frequently. When the plants are 3 inches high, begin to thin until the roots are 10 inches apart.

**DANISH RED GIANT ECKENDORF** Roots very large, thick, cylindrical, compressed at mid-section; blunt; red above, rose below ground; grow largely above ground.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**DANISH YELLOW GIANT ECKENDORF** Roots very large, thick, cylindrical, compressed at mid-section; blunt; light yellow, tinged with green above ground. Similar to Kirsch's Ideal or Ideal.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**DANISH SLUDSTRUP** Very high yielder. Roots long oval, orange colored; flesh white with faint yellow tinge.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**GIANT HALF SUGAR, GREEN TOP** Roots long ovoid, grayish-white with light bronze-green shoulder; flesh white.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**GIANT HALF SUGAR, ROSE TOP** Roots long oval, tapered; grayish-white with rose-colored shoulder; flesh white, rich in sugar.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**GIANT YELLOW INTERMEDIATE** Roots large, long oval, grow about  $\frac{2}{3}$  above ground; light gray tinged with brown above, and orange-yellow below ground; flesh firm, white, rich in sugar, of high feeding value. Practically the same as Yellow Leviathan.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**GOLDEN TANKARD** Heavy cropper; easily harvested. Roots large; thick oval, nearly cylindrical; light gray above, deep orange below ground; flesh yellow with white zones.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**MAMMOTH LONG RED** Superior to strains offered as Norbiton Giant, Colossal, Monarch, etc. Roots very large; long spindle shape, straight and thick; grow  $\frac{1}{3}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  out of ground; light red; flesh white tinged with rose.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**YELLOW LEVIATHAN** Roots very large, long; thick spindle-shaped; light gray tinged with brown above ground, yellow below; grow  $\frac{1}{2}$  above ground; very easily harvested.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

## SWISS CHARD

Only the tops of this beet are used, like spinach, and the succulent stalks and midribs may be prepared in the same way as asparagus. The plants are cultivated like beets except that they should be thinned to 8 or 10 inches apart. If only the outer leaves are gathered, the inner leaves will continue to grow, and repeated pickings can be made.

**LARGE RIBBED, DARK GREEN** The smooth or slightly crumpled leaves are dark glossy green; stem and midribs broad and comparatively thick. Distinct from other chards and favored by many because of its superior flavor.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.10.

**LUCULLUS, DARK GREEN** The fleshy crumpled leaves of this variety make very choice greens. Plant erect; stalks rounded and finely ribbed; foliage a rich deep green.

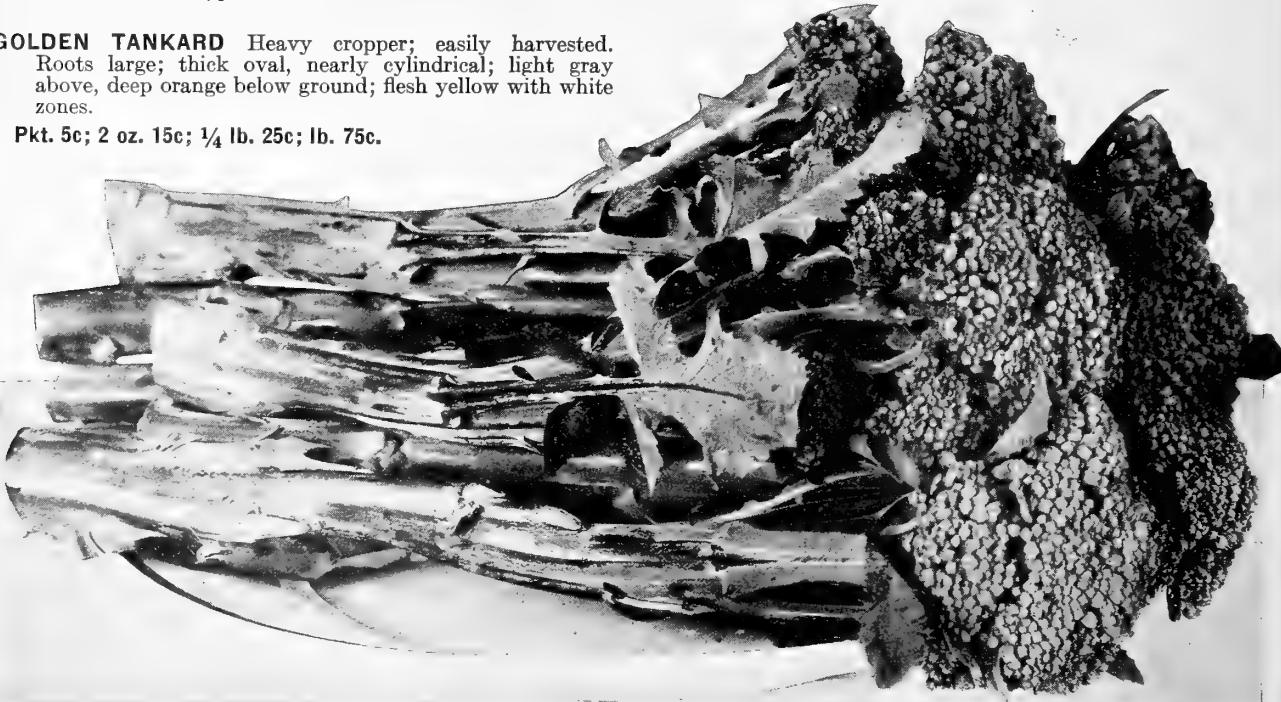
Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.10.

## SUGAR BEET

Sugar beets are desirable not only for sugar making but for stock feeding, and when small they may be used for the table. The soil producing best results is a rich, friable sand or clay loam. Cultivation is the same as for Mangel Wurzel.

**KLEIN WANZLEBEN** The most desirable beet for sugar manufacture; valuable for stock feeding. Roots medium large; 12 to 15 inches long,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 inches at shoulder, tapered; white with a tinge of gray; very rich in sugar content; good keeper.

Pkt. 5c; 2 oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.



Over-cooking destroys the shape, color, and delicate flavor of Green Sprouting broccoli. Fifteen or twenty minutes are enough.

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## BROCCOLI

**ITALIAN GREEN SPROUTING** This vigorous plant is entirely different from the white heading sorts. Cultivated like cabbage, it bears a succession of sprouting heads which, if kept cut, will be replaced by others for 8 or 10 weeks. Each sprout, about 5 inches long, ends in a small head of deep green buds. It is one of the most delicious green vegetables.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. 25c; oz. 40c; 2 oz. 70c.

## BROCCOLI—CAULIFLOWER TYPE

This is similar to cauliflower in color, character of foliage, form, and size of heads. It requires a long growing season and is especially suited to California and other Pacific Coast States.

**NOVEMBER** The earliest strain; sown in July, transplanted in August, fine large white heads produced in November and December.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00; 2 oz. \$3.25.

**JANUARY** Vigorous, stocky, compact plants; produce fine white, well protected heads during January and early February.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00; 2 oz. \$3.25.

**FEBRUARY** Plant compact, bluish-green; produces very solid, long standing, white heads of the finest quality during February.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00; 2 oz. \$3.25.

**MARCH EARLY** A newly developed strain of outstanding quality for harvest during the first half of March. Plants short stemmed and compact with dark green, wavy leaves. Heads are large, well protected, very white, and of finest quality.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00; 2 oz. \$3.25.

**MARCH LATE** Produces fine white, well protected heads the latter part of March.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00; 2 oz. \$3.25.

**APRIL** Produces large, firm white heads in April, after being sown about August 1 and transplanted in September.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00; 2 oz. \$3.25.

**CALIFORNIA WONDER** Preferred for maturing in January. Plants large with long leaves that protect the head which is large, solid, and fairly white.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00; 2 oz. \$3.25.

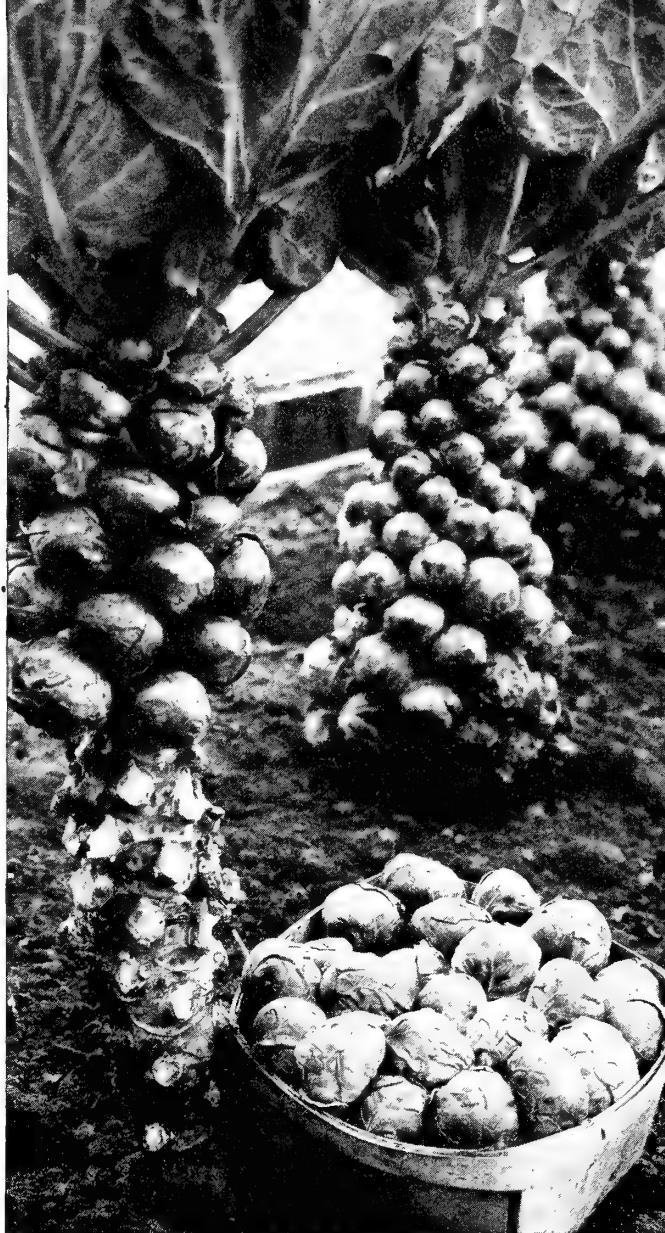
**LATE PEARL** Plants short stemmed, compact, with medium green leaves; head very white and well protected.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00; 2 oz. \$3.25.

**ST. VALENTINE** Standard market variety for March shipment.

Plants large. Heads large, solid, white, and very well protected.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00; 2 oz. \$3.25.



You can raise this fall luxury in your own garden as easily as cabbages. It is brussels sprouts, Long Island Improved.

## BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Small shoots like miniature cabbages clustered around a stem are the valuable part of this unique member of the cabbage family. They are successfully grown wherever conditions are favorable for late cabbage and require the same method of culture. They mature best in the autumn after the weather becomes cool.

**HALF DWARF** (Our Own Selected Strain) Plants 30 inches tall, very dependable; stem well covered with small firm cabbage-like balls of about 1½ inches in diameter which mature in succession.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.50; 2 oz. \$2.50.

**LONG ISLAND IMPROVED** Plant dwarf and compact; 20 inches tall; very uniform; stem well covered with firm, round cabbage-like balls of 1¼ to 1½ inches in diameter which mature in succession.

Pkt. 5c; 1/2 oz. 25c; oz. 40c; 2 oz. 70c.



Broccoli of the cauliflower type grows well only in a warm climate.



For slaw, for early kraut, and for cooking, you can't beat Copenhagen Market, fresh from the garden.

## CABBAGE

For early cabbage in the North, plants may be started indoors or under glass as early as March 1st. They should be spaced 3 inches apart each way when pricked out into boxes and should be gradually hardened off by exposure to cooler outdoor conditions. They may be transplanted in the open as soon as the ground can be properly prepared. In sections of the country where winters are not severe, seed may be planted as late as September. Such plantings will produce heads during the winter and early spring. The days indicated are the average number required to produce heads ready for market from the time the young plants are set in the field. No better seed is obtainable than our pure bred strains.

### FIRST EARLY VARIETIES

**CHARLESTON or LARGE WAKEFIELD** 71 days. Desirable for home and market garden. Head broad, heart-shaped; 8 inches long, 7 inches broad at base, firm, commonly 4 to 5 lbs. Fully a week later and heads larger and broader heart-shaped than Early Jersey Wakefield.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**COPENHAGEN MARKET** 66 days. Distinctly and uniformly early. Splendid for early market and shipment; proving valuable as early kraut variety. Plant small, compact, allowing very close planting; stem short; heads uniformly round; firm; become 6 to 7 inches in diameter, weight 3½ to 4 lbs. Interior clear white and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD** 62 days. Extremely early variety very valuable for home and market garden as well as for shipment. Plants very small and compact, allowing close planting; stem short. Heads firm and conical; usually 7 inches long, 5 inches thick near base, weight 2 to 2½ lbs.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**GOLDEN ACRE** 62 to 64 days. The earliest round headed cabbage; especially valuable for early market and shipping. Plants very small and compact; stem short; heads uniformly round; firm, commonly 6 inches in diameter and weigh 3 lbs. This is similar to Copenhagen Market but is several days earlier, and the heads are smaller. It is practically as early as Early Jersey Wakefield.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 2 oz. 70c; 1/4 lb. \$1.30.

**RESISTANT DETROIT** A yellow resistant type of Golden Acre. Valuable new addition to the list of early round-head varieties. Produces heads ready for cutting twelve days earlier than Marion Market. A Ferry-Morse introduction. (See page 4.)

Pkt. 15c; oz. \$1.00; 2 oz. \$1.80; 1/4 lb. \$3.40.

### INTERMEDIATE VARIETIES

**ALL HEAD EARLY** 77 days. Particularly valuable for kraut; good winter keeper. Heads flat, but deep; 8 to 9 inches broad, 6½ to 7 inches deep, weigh 6 to 7 lbs.; firm and of fine quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**ALL SEASONS** 90 days. Splendid general purpose cabbage; good winter keeper; widely used for kraut; remarkably thrifty in hot dry weather. Heads large; commonly 10 to 11 inches across, 8 inches deep and weigh 9 to 10 lbs.; of splendid quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**EARLY DWARF FLAT DUTCH** 71 days. Excellent for home and market garden. Plants small and compact; stem short. Heads almost ball-shaped; commonly 7 to 8 inches in diameter, 6 inches deep, and weigh 4½ to 5 lbs.; firm and of high quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**EARLY WINNINGSTADT** 77 days. Very hardy and dependable; particularly valuable for shipping as well as for home and market garden. Heads extremely firm; heart-shaped; become 8 to 10 inches long, 6 to 7 inches thick near base, and weigh 5 lbs.; of splendid quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**FERRY'S ROUND DUTCH** A second early round-headed short-stemmed variety of very good quality. Takes up less room than other mid-season cabbages and is especially adaptable to home garden use.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**GLORY OF ENKHUIZEN** 73 to 80 days. Particularly valuable for kraut; also popular for home and market garden. Heads very large; globular; 8 to 9 inches in diameter, firm, commonly weigh 6 to 8 lbs.; stem medium short.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

# Pure-bred Cabbage is one of our Specialties

**MARION MARKET** A yellows resistant strain of Copenhagen Market. Larger and coarser in plant, and not so early nor so uniform as the original strain, but with the round head and crisp tenderness of the parent cabbage. Will produce a normal crop on yellows infected soils where non-resistant strains fail completely. 75 to 80 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$2.00.

**MIDSEASON MARKET** 73 days. Unsurpassed in quality; recommended particularly for the home and market garden and for kraut manufacture. Heads large, globular; 8 to 9 inches in diameter, weight about 7 lbs.; stem short. Similar to Glory of Enkhuizen.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**STEIN'S EARLY FLAT DUTCH** 95 days. Heads large and flat, but deep, firm, and keep well. Similar to Premium Late Flat Dutch, but earlier and heads average a little smaller.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**SUCCESSION** 84 days. Very dependable for late summer and fall use; good keeper. Plants large, but compact; stem short. Heads large and flat, but deep; 10 to 11 inches across, 7 to 8 inches deep, weight 8 to 9 lbs.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**WISCONSIN ALL SEASONS** (Yellows Resistant) 90 to 95 days. Valuable substitute for the regular All Seasons in localities infested with "cabbage yellows." Chiefly used for kraut; also valuable for winter keeping. Heads large; commonly 10 to 12 inches across, 8 inches deep, and weigh 9 to 10 lbs. Similar to, but a trifle coarser and more variable in form than standard All Seasons.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 45c; 2 oz. 75c; 1/4 lb. \$1.40.

## LATE VARIETIES

**DANISH BALL HEAD** With the exception of Ferry's Hollander, this is the best late cabbage. The plants are medium sized with short stem. Heads large; flattened globe-shape; become 8 to 9 inches across, 6 to 7 inches deep, and weigh 7 to 9 lbs. Very firm and solid; of excellent quality; keep perfectly in storage until late spring.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 2 oz. 70c; 1/4 lb. \$1.30.

**FERRY'S HOLLANDER** Decidedly the best variety of late cabbage. Heads become firm while still rather small, reach good marketable size 90 to 100 days after setting plants in the field, but continue to enlarge, becoming mature in about 120 days. Plants medium small, allowing closer planting than any other late cabbage; short stemmed; erect and compact; extremely hardy. Heads spherical; 6½ to 7 inches in diameter, weight 6 to 7 lbs.; remarkably firm and solid, of splendid quality, and keep perfectly in storage until late spring.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 2 oz. 90c; 1/4 lb. \$1.60.

**FERRY'S PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH** 105 days. The best very large, late cabbage; popular for home and market garden; a good keeper. Heads very large and flat, but deep; become 12 to 14 inches across, 7 inches deep, and weigh 12 to 14 lbs. or more; firm and of good quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**MAMMOTH ROCK RED** 90 days. An excellent red cabbage; splendid winter keeper. Heads round to slightly flattened globe-shape; commonly 7 inches in diameter and weigh about 7 lbs.; very hard; deep purplish-red.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 2 oz. 70c; 1/4 lb. \$1.30.

**ROUND RED DUTCH** (Early) 80 days. Recommended for shipping. Heads round, solid, about 6 inches in diameter, and weigh 3 to 5 lbs. Deep red.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 2 oz. 70c; 1/4 lb. \$1.30.

**SAVOY, IMPROVED AMERICAN** 85 days. The best of the Savoy group for home use and market. Leaves blistered; stem short. Heads flattened globe-shape; medium large, firm; interior leaves crumpled, light yellow; distinct flavor.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 2 oz. 70c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25.

**VOLGA** 85 days. Hardy, heavily productive main crop variety for home and market garden. Heads flattened globe-shaped; 9 to 11 inches across, almost as deep, weigh about 10 lbs.; stem short.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**WISCONSIN No. 8** (Yellows Resistant) Splendid late cabbage for storage, shipment, and kraut manufacture. Developed out of Ferry's Hollander. Heavy yielder on land infested so badly with the yellows disease that other varieties fail completely. Plants large and very hardy. The heads are large, globular to flattened globe-shape, firm, weigh 7 to 9 lbs.; of excellent quality; keep well until spring.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.30; 1/4 lb. \$2.20.

## CHINESE CABBAGE (See page 20)

## CARDOON

The stalks require blanching, and the plant is raised much like celery. The rows should be about 4 feet apart, and the plants 2 feet apart in the rows. A rich soil is necessary for the production of a good crop. The blanched stalks or ribs of the inner leaves and the thick, fleshy, tender roots are used as a winter vegetable.

**LARGE SMOOTH** A tender, richly flavored variety which blanches easily and makes an attractive appearance.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 2 oz. 70c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00.

## CARROT

Carrots require about the same simple care as beets, they have no serious insect enemies, and they are rarely attacked by disease. Since freshly manured soil often causes divided roots, it is best to plant them in soil that has been richly fertilized the previous season. Plant the seed one-half inch deep in loose, well prepared soil, making rows 16 to 24 inches apart. Cultivate as soon as the plants are well established and thin to 2 or 4 inches in the row according to the size of the variety. Plantings may be made from early spring until mid-June. For winter storage the later date is advisable.

**CHANTENAY** 70 days. A splendid carrot; extensively grown for winter storage. Heavy yielder. Roots deep reddish-orange; become 5½ to 6 inches long, 2½ inches thick at top; tapered; stump-rooted; flesh deep orange.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**CHANTENAY, RED CORED** 70 days. This is a distinct improvement over the well known Chantenay, especially in color, texture, and quality of flesh. Roots 5½ to 6 inches long, 2¼ inches thick at the shoulder; tapered, stump-rooted; flesh and core reddish-orange, fine grained, and tender; of sweet, delicate flavor.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 55c; lb. \$1.35.

**DANVERS, Half Long** 75 days. Very productive and popular for home and market garden; much used for shipping. Roots bright deep orange, 6 to 7 inches long, 1¾ inches thick, uniformly tapered to the blunt end. Flesh bright orange, crisp, and tender.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**EARLY SCARLET HORN** 63 days. Popular for early market. Tops small. Roots reddish-orange; 3 inches long, 1½ inches at the shoulder, and tapered to about 1 inch thick at the blunt end; flesh reddish-orange, fine grained, sweet, and tender.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 55c; lb. \$1.35.

**FRENCH FORCING** (Earliest Short Horn) 60 days. Valuable for forcing and for outdoor culture for early market. Tops small. Roots reddish-orange; small, globular; become 1½ inches in diameter; flesh reddish-orange, of high quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 55c; lb. \$1.35.

# Brilliant orange Carrots, rich

## CARROTS (Continued)

**LONG ORANGE** 85 days. A heavy cropper on light soils; much grown for stock. Roots scarlet-orange; 10 to 12 inches long, 2 inches thick at the top; tapered, pointed.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.10.

**MORSE'S BUNCHING** Tops short; foliage rather coarsely cut and stems medium size and strong. Roots at maturity are  $1\frac{1}{4}$  by  $1\frac{1}{2}$  by 8 inches in size, almost cylindrical with rounded shoulders, and are well stumped.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 55c; lb. \$1.35.

**NANTES, Stump Rooted** 68 days. One of the best for home garden and early market. Tops small. Roots bright orange; 6 to 7 inches long,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches thick; cylindrical, stump-rooted. Flesh bright orange; core inconspicuous. Similar to much that is offered under the term "coreless."

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 55c; lb. \$1.35.

**OX-HEART or GUERANDE** 75 days to produce roots of good table size. Especially desirable for field culture on heavy soil; good keeper and much used for stock feed. Roots scarlet-orange; broad, blunt, heart-shaped; become  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 inches long; easily harvested.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.10.

**SHORT WHITE** Late; heavy cropper; one of the best for stock. Roots 7 to 8 inches long, 3 inches thick at the top; tapered, pointed; easily harvested.

Pkt. 5c (Pkts. only)



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**WHITE BELGIAN In Ground** Late; heavily productive; grown for stock. Roots 8 to 10 inches long, 3 to 4 inches thick at the top; tapered, pointed.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.10.

## CAULIFLOWER

The same methods that produce good cabbage will grow good cauliflower. The only great difference is that cauliflower heads must be protected from sunlight so as to make sure of the desirable white curd. Gather the tops of the leaves together loosely as soon as the heads begin to form. In shutting off the light, it is important not to cramp the heads.

**DANISH GIANT, Dry Weather** 65 days. One of the most dependable in adverse, dry weather. Plants dwarf, short stemmed; larger than Early Snowball. Heads large, 6 to 7 inches across, commonly weigh 2 lbs.; white with tinge of cream; of splendid quality.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 oz. 75c; oz. \$2.25; 2 oz. \$4.00.

**EARLY SNOWBALL** 52 days. The best for greenhouse forcing, early market, and shipping. Plants very dwarf. Heads snow white; deep, smooth, compact; about 6 inches across, weight  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 lbs.; the standard of excellence in cauliflower.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 oz. 75c; oz. \$2.25; 2 oz. \$4.00.

**EXTRA EARLY DWARF ERFURT** 57 days. Very early variety for home, market garden, and shipping. Plants dwarf, short stemmed. Heads snow white; roundish, compact; commonly weigh about 2 lbs.; similar to Early Snowball, but usually a little later than our strain.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 oz. 75c; oz. \$2.25; 2 oz. \$4.00.

# Celery, crisp and CELERY

Celery seed will sprout at comparatively low temperatures, but it needs constant and abundant moisture. The soil for starting plants should be fine and loose, and seed must be covered only  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch deep. Even under favorable conditions seed cannot be expected to start within two weeks. For fall and winter use in the North it may be planted from March 15th to April 15th. In other sections time of planting can be governed accordingly. When seedlings have 3 or 4 leaves well started, prick out about 3 inches apart each way. Keep the soil well moistened at all times and transplant to open ground when plants are 75 to 90 days old. Set the plants 8 to 12 inches apart in the row.

**CRISPHEART** This desirable new type of green celery is earlier and easier to blanch than Utah. Plants large but compact; stems thick and smooth. Rich, mild flavor. (See page 5.)

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.50; oz. \$2.50; 2 oz. \$4.00.

**EASY BLANCHING** Splendid early variety for home and market garden. Makes vigorous, erect, compact growth; blanches very readily; stalks thick, solid, of a rich, nutty flavor; a good keeper.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25.

**EMPEROR** Plants stocky and compact. Stems thick, round, and of fine quality. Fine for late fall use and for winter storage.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25.

**FLORIDA GOLDEN** A selection from Golden Plume, bred for taller growth, increased weight, and larger, thicker stems. Matures early. Hearts blanch to a rich cream color of exceptional quality and excellent flavor. Stems broad and thick, solid and crisp. Plants full hearted and compact.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75; 2 oz. \$2.75.

**GIANT PASCAL** Matures late. Desirable for home and market garden. Plant large and compact. Leaf stalks long, thick, and solid; of unsurpassed rich, nutty flavor.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25.

**GOLDEN DETROIT** This new development of the Golden Yellow Self Blanching type emphasizes all the good points of its class and is without its usual faults. Plants very compact and full hearted. Stems broad, thick, and ordinarily 7 to 8 inches long; blanch easily to a rich creamy-yellow; free from strings.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60c; oz. \$1.10; 2 oz. \$1.75.

**GOLDEN NO. 14** Similar to Golden Detroit but averages a trifle taller and has more slender, rounded stems. Very popular in some sections as a shipping variety.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75; 2 oz. \$2.75.

**GOLDEN PASCAL** Early maturing strain of Pascal which blanches readily to rich, creamy-yellow color. Stems thick and rounded; brittle, tender, and of rich, delicate flavor. Should prove outstanding as a home and market garden variety. (See page 5.)

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.50; oz. \$2.50; 2 oz. \$4.00.

**GOLDEN PHENOMENAL, for early planting** Very desirable for shipping. Plants ready for use early; full hearted; compact; with long, edible stalks that are thick, solid, blanch readily, and are of rich, nutty flavor.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80c; oz. \$1.50; 2 oz. \$2.50.

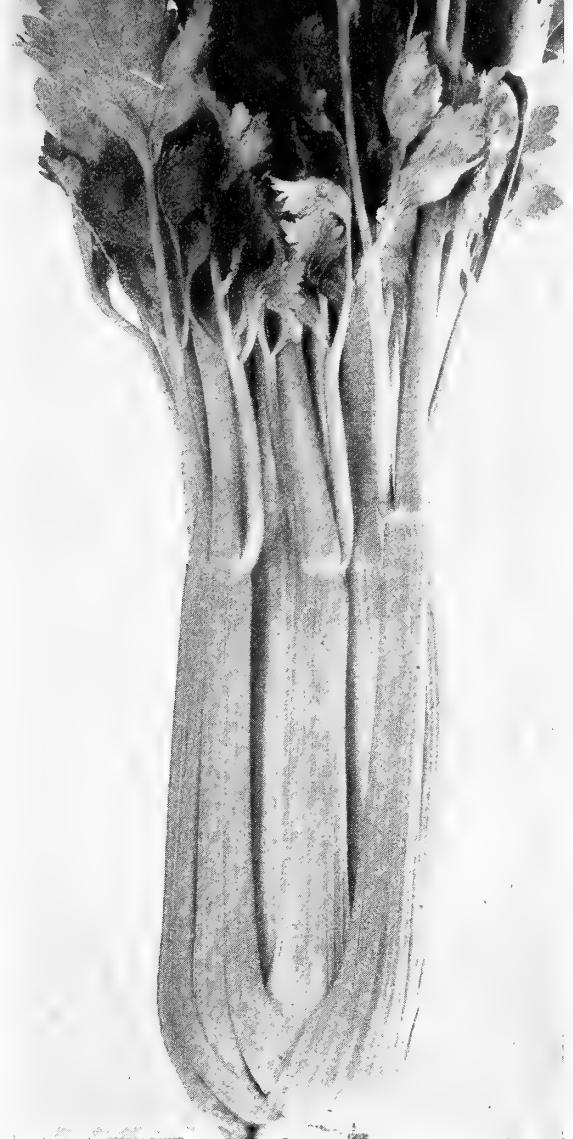
**GOLDEN PLUME or WONDERFUL** Early and very desirable for home and market garden. Plants medium sized; stocky, full hearted, and compact; thick solid stalks blanch readily and are of the finest table quality.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75; 2 oz. \$2.75.

**GOLDEN YELLOW SELF BLANCHING, Dwarf** Standard market and shipping sort. Plants medium sized, stocky; 20 to 24 inches tall; leaf stalks thick, solid, blanch readily, and are of sweet nutty flavor.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80c; oz. \$1.50; 2 oz. \$2.50.

## A p e t i z i n g



This new early variety, Crispheart, has just what the name suggests.

**GOLDEN YELLOW SELF BLANCHING, Tall** Early and particularly desirable for home and market garden, though not so desirable for shipping as the dwarf type of Golden Yellow Self Blanching. Plants fairly tall and compact with firm stalks, 26 to 28 inches tall, which blanch readily and are of splendid quality.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80c; oz. \$1.50; 2 oz. \$2.50.

**NON-BOLTING GOLDEN PLUME** Slightly later maturing than our regular Golden Plume, but very similar in other characteristics. Specially recommended for sections where unfavorable conditions cause ordinary strains to bolt. (See page 5.)

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.50; oz. \$2.50; 2 oz. \$4.00.

**UTAH OR GOLDEN CRISP** Matures a week or ten days earlier than Giant Pascal. Plants sturdy, compact, and solid. Stems broad, thick, well rounded. Rich flavor.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60c; oz. \$1.10; 2 oz. \$2.00.

**WHITE PLUME** Valuable for early market. Foliage green, tinted white; stalks and foliage blanch very readily to snowy-white.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25.

**WINTER QUEEN** The best winter variety. Moderately dwarf, erect, compact with solid heart.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25.

**SOUP or CUTTING** Not suitable for blanching; tops grow rapidly and furnish succession of cuttings throughout the season.

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c.



# Home Grown

## CHICORY

**LARGE ROOTED or COFFEE** The roots are popular as a coffee substitute. The young leaves may be used for salad. Our improved stock is large, smooth, white, and comparatively short rooted. Sow seed as early in the spring as the ground can be prepared, in rather light, moderately rich soil, in rows 2 to 2½ feet apart.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 90c.

**ASPARAGUS or RADICETTA** The tops of this variety of chicory are very desirable for salad. The leaves are long and narrow, blanching readily when plants are set close together. The tops are also valuable as a chicken tonic. Sow seed as early in the spring as possible, preferably in wide strips or blocks. Where climate permits, seed may be sown about midwinter.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; ¼ lb. \$1.50.

**WITLOOF or FRENCH ENDIVE** This variety has become very popular for winter salads. It forms a delicious dish when served like endive or cos lettuce with French dressing. The leaves and stems blanch easily.

Sow the seed about 1 inch deep in the open ground in May or June in rows about 18 inches apart. In the fall the roots should be lifted, the leaves trimmed to within 1½ inches of the crown, and the main roots shortened to a uniform length of about 9 inches. They are then placed upright 2 inches apart in a trench about 18 inches deep. Fill the trench with fine rich soil. The following spring the new tops will reach the proper size in 4 to 6 weeks.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

## CHINESE CABBAGE

This is not a true cabbage and is often called Celery Cabbage because in shape the heads resemble celery. The leaves are more like those of turnip in color and texture. The flavor is distinct. It combines the qualities of both celery and cabbage and is highly prized as a salad vegetable. Plant seed out of doors at the same time as turnip. Thin 12 to 16 inches apart in the rows. If planted too early, this species will "bolt" during hot weather and fail to form heads.

**CHIHLI** Early and sure heading. Head becomes 18 to 20 inches tall, 3½ to 4 inches thick, tapered near tip, very firm, well blanched, crisp, tender, and sweet. Superior to Chinese Improved or Pe Tsai.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; 2 oz. 50c; ¼ lb. 90c.

**WONG BOK** Heads 8 to 10 inches tall; broad; firm. Well blanched, tender, and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; 2 oz. 50c; ¼ lb. 90c.

## COLLARDS

This is a tall, loose leaved cabbage-like or kale-like plant, is grown in different sections of the South as "Cole," "Colewort," or simply "Greens." It is much used for the table as well as for stock feeding.

Sow the seed thickly in rows in rich ground, transplanting when about 4 inches in height; or sow where the plants are to remain, and when well started thin to 2 or 3 feet apart in the row. In the South, seed may be sown from January to May and from August to October.

**CABBAGE or HEADING** A desirable type producing rather compact plants 1½ to 2 feet high. Large loose clusters of leaves which often show a tendency to form a head. Also known as Buncombe.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c; lb. \$1.00.

**GEORGIA, SOUTHERN or CREOLE** This variety grows 2 or 3 feet high and produces large light green leaves on quite long stems. A frost, if not too severe, will improve the crop.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. 75c.

## CELERIAC

Sow seed at the same season and give the same treatment as common celery. Transplant to moist, rich soil, in rows 2 feet apart and 6 inches apart in row. Give thorough culture. It is not necessary to earth up or "handle" the plants. After the roots have attained a diameter of 2 inches, they are fit for use.

**LARGE SMOOTH PRAGUE** An improved variety of turnip-rooted celery producing large tubers of nearly globular shape and comparatively smooth surface.

Pkt. 5c; ½ oz. 30c; oz. 50c; 2 oz. 80c.

## CHERVIL

This hardy annual with aromatic leaves is something like parsley, and many consider it superior in flavor. The young leaves are used in soups and for flavoring and garnishing meats and vegetables. Sow in early spring in rich, well prepared soil. The seed is slow to germinate, sometimes remaining in the earth 2 or 3 weeks before the plants appear. When the plants are about 2 inches high, transplant or thin to about 1 foot apart. They are ready for use in 6 to 10 weeks from sowing.

**CURLED** This finely curled double variety has a pleasing fragrance and flavor. It grows vigorously and matures early.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; 2 oz. 50c; ¼ lb. 80c.

## CHIVES

**ALLIUM Schoenoprasum** Small perennial of the onion family; readily propagated from seeds; leaves used in salads and for flavoring soups and stews; flowering plant is decorative.

Pkt. 5c; ½ oz. 40c; oz. 75c.

# Sweet Corn has a Flavor you can't buy

## SWEET CORN

Warm weather, rich soil, and moderate moisture are best for corn, but a satisfactory crop can be grown in any garden if the soil is deeply and thoroughly worked before planting. Sweet corn seed is likely to rot if planted in cold weather, so planting should be governed by this fact. Seeds may be planted either in rows or hills. If planted in rows, they should be spaced from 2½ to 4 feet apart, depending on the height of the variety; seeds should be dropped at the rate of 5 or 6 to the foot, and covered about 2 inches deep. If planting in hills, drop 5 or 6 seeds per hill and space the hills 3 feet apart each way. When plants are 4 or 5 inches tall, thin from 8 to 12 inches apart and keep well hoed until the ears are set.

**Not less than 5 lbs. of a variety sold at the 10 lb. rate.**

**Prices Postpaid in U.S.A.**

**ALAMEDA SWEET** A medium early variety especially suited for use on the Pacific slope. The plants are short and stocky. The ears are 10 to 14 rowed, medium to large, 8 or 9 inches long, and are protected by strong husks. The kernels are large and deep, ivory white in color, with a tender skin and a rich sweet flavor.

**Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**

**ALPHA** The earliest of the sweet corn varieties, producing ears of cooking size in 71 days. The ears are 6 to 8 inches long, slightly tapered, and uniformly 8 rowed. The kernels are broad, keystone shaped, and milky white when in the best table condition. They are surprisingly sweet and tender for such an early variety.

**Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**

**BANTAM EVERGREEN (Golden)** Large ears, 7½ to 9 inches long, with 14 to 18 rows of deep kernels borne on strong stalks 6 to 7 feet tall. This variety combines the qualities of Golden Bantam and Stowell's Evergreen in its rich golden cream color and good flavor, and because it remains in table condition for a long while. Ready in 95 days.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**BLACK MEXICAN** This is one of the richest flavored and tenderest of sweet corns. Many are misled by the bluish-black color of the ripe seed, but when in table condition the kernels are pearly white and superior to many of the other white sweet corns. The ears are 8 rowed and 8 to 9 inches long. They are ready for the table in 88 days. As a midseason variety this will prove surprisingly good.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**CARMEL GOLDEN** A dwarf, second early sweet corn popular in California. The ears, mostly 12 rowed, are moderately large and thick with broad, deep kernels of creamy-yellow color. Productive, and of fine quality. 85 days.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**CHARLEVOIX (Gold Standard)** The standard of excellence in sweet corn; equally valuable for home garden, market garden, and canning. Plants 5½ to 6 feet tall commonly bear 2 ears. Ears 6½ to 7 inches long; 12 rowed. Kernels light golden yellow, tender, and of highest quality. 86 to 88 days.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**COUNTRY GENTLEMAN** Heavy yielding variety with Evergreen character. Valuable for home, market garden, and especially for canning. Plants 6½ to 7 feet tall, commonly with 2 or more ears. Ears 7½ to 9 inches long, 2 inches thick; set solid with irregular rows of kernels. These are white; shoe-peg form; very deep; sweet and tender. 110 days.

**Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**

**EARLY SWEET OR SUGAR** Dependable highly productive sort for home and market garden. Plants 6 feet tall. Ears slender; 9 to 9½ inches long; 8 rowed; very uniform. Kernels white, sweet, and tender. 93 days.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**FERRY'S EARLY EVERGREEN** Very valuable canning and market sort, about 1 week earlier than Stowell's Evergreen from which it was developed. Plants 6½ to 7 feet tall. Ears about 7½ inches long, 2½ inches thick with 14 to 20 rows of very deep, white, sweet kernels that remain fresh and tender remarkably long. 98 days.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**GOLDEN BANTAM** The best strain of Golden Bantam; surpassed in quality only by our own Charlevoix. Although not quite so early as Sunshine it is of much better quality. Plants dwarf; 4½ to 5 feet tall; very productive, commonly bearing 2 ears. Ears 6 to 7 inches long; strictly 8 rowed; very uniform. Kernels rich golden yellow, very tender, sweet, and of splendid rich flavor. 83 days.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**GOLD CROSS BANTAM** A hybrid cross developed by the Purdue Experiment Station from two inbred strains of Bantam. Normally, it matures about 8 to 10 days later than Golden Bantam. Produces ears about 8 inches long, 10 to 14 rowed. Stalks 6½ to 7 feet high, sturdy and productive. Has proved better adapted for growing under more varied conditions and is less susceptible to Stewart's disease than other varieties in its class.

**Carton 10c; lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.**



Charlevoix is even better flavored and sweeter than Golden Bantam corn.



# Try a New variety of Sweet Corn, or

## SWEET CORN (Continued)

**GOLDEN SUNSHINE** A comparatively new early yellow sweet corn of very good quality. Three to 4 days earlier than our Golden Bantam; the plant is also taller and more vigorous, and the ears, 10 and 12 rowed, are considerably larger. A popular variety for market gardeners and a good home garden corn. 80 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**HOWLING MOB** Vigorous plants, 4½ to 5 feet tall, bear ears 7 to 7½ inches in length, 12 rowed, with medium sized deep kernels of milky white and of sweet rich flavor. A very good midseason variety for home garden and truckers. 85 to 88 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**OREGON EVERGREEN** Earlier than Stowell's and just as fine and sweet. Very popular in Southern California for producing corn through the winter. A good canning variety and also a good late corn in the North. Ears medium to large, 12 to 18 rowed; kernels pure white; husks firm and strong, greatly protecting the ear from the corn ear worm and allowing long distance shipping. It will remain in good edible condition longer than any other variety. 95 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**STOWELL'S EVERGREEN** Standard late variety, very valuable for canning and much grown for market. Plants 7 to 7½ feet tall. Ears 8 inches long; 2¼ to 2½ inches thick; 14 to 20 rowed. Kernels very deep, white, sweet, and tender; remain in table condition a long time. 105 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**WHIPPLE'S EARLY YELLOW** A fine new yellow sweet corn. Stalks 6 feet tall; ears 14 rowed and 7 to 8 inches long; kernels broad, deep, and of excellent flavor. About the same in season as Golden Bantam, but ears are larger.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

## FIELD CORN

**EXTRA EARLY ADAMS** 78 days to table condition. Hardy; much used for table in the South. Plants 4 feet tall. Ears 4½ to 5 inches long; 1¾ inches thick; 12 to 14 rowed. Kernels white, sweet, and fairly tender at table stage, but become smooth and hard when ripe.

Carton 10c; lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

**EARLY ADAMS or BURLINGTON** 90 days to table condition. Hardy; much used for table in the South. Plants 6 to 7 feet tall. Ears 7 to 8 inches long; 2 inches thick; 12 to 14 rowed. Kernels white, fairly sweet, and tender; become smooth and hard when ripe.

Carton 10c; lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

**EARLY GOLDEN DENT or PRIDE OF THE NORTH** Plants 7 feet tall. Dry ears 7 inches long; 1¾ inches thick; 12 to 16 rowed. Kernels yellow, hard, dented; of high feeding quality and excellent for meal.

Carton 10c; lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

## POP CORN

**GOLDEN HULLESS** Plant 4½ to 5 feet tall. Ripe ears 3½ to 4 inches long; 1¾ inches thick; blocky. Kernels rich golden yellow; pointed. Kernels large and white with a tinge of cream when popped.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**JAPANESE HULLESS** A dwarf medium late variety of excellent quality and a sure popper. The stout 4-inch ears with uneven rows furnish hard, flinty kernels.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**WHITE RICE** This productive rather late kind supplies delicious popped corn. The plant is vigorous and grows 24 rowed ears 5½ inches long.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

## CORN SALAD

There is great satisfaction in having sweet corn late in the season as well as early. Stowell's Evergreen is an excellent choice.

**LARGE SEEDED, LARGE LEAVED** This is a small, quick growing salad plant for late fall, winter and spring use. The leaves are used as a substitute for lettuce and spinach.

During August or September sow the seed in shallow drills about 1 foot apart, covering with about ¼ inch of fine soil firmly pressed down. On the approach of severe cold weather, cover with straw. The plants will also do well if the seed is sown on very rich soil. The seed we offer is extra cleaned.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

# a New Cucumber, this year

## CRESS

As early in spring as the ground can be worked, sow the seed in rich, well prepared soil, in shallow drills about 16 inches apart, covering with about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch of fine soil firmly pressed down. When the young plants are well started, thin 4 to 6 inches apart in the row. For succession plant every 2 weeks, thinning out as required for use. Prevent insects by dusting with Pyrethrum powder.

**CURLED or PEPPER GRASS** The frilled or curled leaves of this small plant are used for garnishing. Its warm pungent taste is also an appetizing addition to lettuce. The plant grows rapidly to about 1 foot in height.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c.

**TRUE WATER** This is a distinct variety of cress with small, oval leaves. It thrives best when its roots and stems are submerged in water, although a fair growth may be obtained in soil which is kept wet. The seed is usually sown and lightly covered in gravelly, mucky lands along the borders of small, rapid streams. The plants need no special culture, as under favorable conditions they increase very rapidly by self-sown seed and root extension. When gathered for market, the shoots should be cut, not broken off. In summer it is best to keep them cut closely.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50.

## CUCUMBER

In all stages of growth the cucumber finds a place on our tables. Either raw or pickled it is served in salads, and it is a tasty relish by itself. A fine crop may easily be grown in openly exposed, fairly rich soil. Planting should be delayed until all danger of frost is past. Soil for planting should be warm, fairly moist, and loose. Seed must be covered about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch deep. Plant in hills 3 to 5 feet apart, dropping 6 or 8 seeds to each hill. When 6 inches tall, thin to 3 in a hill.

**BLACK DIAMOND (It Stays Green)** Splendid for shipping. Fruits rich dark green, retaining their color long after picking; white spined; 7 to 8 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches thick; only slightly tapered; full at both ends. 60 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**BOSTON PICKLING** Splendid pickling and slicing sort. Fruits medium dark green; black spined; 6 to 7 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; symmetrical; only slightly tapered. 60 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**CHICAGO PICKLING (Westerfield)** Valuable pickling and slicing variety. Fruits deep medium green; black spined; 6 to 7 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches thick; taper very slightly toward each end; uniform. 60 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**CRYSTAL APPLE** Very popular in Australia on account of its crisp tender flesh, and mild rich flavor.

A true cucumber but more like an apple in shape and size.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

**DAVIS PERFECT** Splendid dark green slicing variety particularly valuable for shipping. Fruits very dark green; retain color long after picking; white spined; 9 to 11 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; somewhat tapered at both ends; very few seeds. 68 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**EARLY CLUSTER** Very fine pickling sort; popular for early slicers. Fruits medium dark green; black spined;  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches long;  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches thick; cylindrical and full at both ends. 56 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.



You can tell by the shape of the fruits that Straight-8 is just right for slicing. This cucumber, developed by Ferry-Morse, received the All-America Gold Medal Award in 1935. (See page 24.)

**EARLY FORTUNE** One of the most desirable slicing sorts; extensively grown for shipping. Fruits very dark green; color retained a long time after harvest; white spined; 8 to 9 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; only slightly tapered; very uniform. 66 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**EARLY SHORT GREEN or EARLY FRAME** Splendid for pickling and for slicing; very popular for home gardens. Fruits bright medium green; black spined; 6 to 7 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; uniform; blunt. 56 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

## Give the Children

▲ ▲ ▲ A small patch in which to raise pop corn. They will enjoy growing it for next winter.

# Select

Wherever eggplant fruits might be damaged by lying on the ground, it is a great advantage to grow Florida High Bush. The quality is outstanding, too.

## CUCUMBER (Cont.)

### EARLY WHITE SPINE

The most popular white spined cucumber for the home garden; extensively grown for shipping. Fruits medium dark green; remain in good condition remarkably long; 7 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; slightly tapered; blunt. 60 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

### FERRY'S LONG GREEN

The most popular and one of the best for the home garden; particularly desirable for slicing. Fruits rich dark green; black spined; 12 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{4}$  to  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches thick; straight; cylindrical; with few seeds. 72 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 85c; lb. \$2.50.

### JERSEY PICKLING

Splendid for pickling. Fruits deep medium green; black spined; 8 to 9 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; uniformly slightly tapered toward both ends. 64 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

### KLONDIKE

Very desirable for shipping. Fruits handsome; very dark green; white spined; 7 to 8 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; cylindrical. 64 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

### LEMON

Excellent for slicing and general salad use; fine for pickles. Fruits deep lemon-yellow; black spined; become 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches long and almost as thick; blunt. 65 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

### LONGFELLOW

Particularly valuable for shipping. Fruits handsome; extremely dark green over entire surface; retain the color remarkably long after picking; white spined; 12 to 14 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches thick; straight, well filled at ends; very few seeds. 72 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 80c; lb. \$2.25.

### LONG GREEN

An excellent home garden variety. Fruits 10 to 12 inches long, medium dark green; black spined. Very desirable for slicing. 68 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.80.

### NATIONAL PICKLING

Early, high-yielding variety especially bred for pickling in the small sizes. Fruits straight, symmetrical, and blunt-ended, but not chunky. Pack without waste space. Color deep green. Make firm crisp pickles. 50 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55c; lb. \$1.60.

### SMALL GHERKIN

Of superior quality for pickles. This is the West India gherkin, and not a true cucumber. Very prolific; fruits for pickles are produced in about 60 days. Fruits pale green; prickly over entire surface;  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 inches long; oval; uniform; seeds numerous and small.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.80.

### SNOW'S PICKLING

Extremely early and prolific. Popular variety for small pickles. Fruits dark green at pickling size; black spined; become 5 inches long;  $2\frac{1}{4}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; symmetrical; blunt ended. 52 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55c; lb. \$1.60.



**STRAIGHT-8** This outstanding variety which we are offering for the first time this year produces symmetrical, cylindrical fruits about 8 inches in length and about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter. The fruits are well rounded at the ends and when in condition for use are deep green and free from objectional striping or tipping. Although its characteristics make it an ideal shipping variety, it is also equally desirable for the home or market garden. (See page 23 for illustration.)

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.00.

## DANDELION

Sow early in spring in very warm, rich soil, in drills 18 inches apart; thin to 5 inches and cultivate well; they will be fit for cutting the next spring. When grown for the roots, sow in September and cul-

vate well during the fall and following summer; the roots will be fit to dig in October.

**CULTIVATED or FRENCH COMMON** Plants low growing, compact, attain a spread of 18 to 20 inches; leaves long and broad.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 45c.

**IMPROVED THICK LEAVED** Thick leaves and deep green color make this far superior to the uncultivated plant. It is compact with an upright regular tuft at the center.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 65c.

## EGGPLANT

This semi-tropical plant requires continuous warm weather for best results. The seed germinates slowly and should be started in a hotbed. Set the plants in the open ground when 2 inches tall, if the weather continues warm. Space  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet apart. Shade young plants from hot sun and spray with Paris Green to protect them from potato bugs.

**BLACK BEAUTY** The fruits of this variety are large and symmetrical, maturing a little earlier than our New York Purple. It is thicker and broader than the other variety and retains its glossy black-purple coloring for a long time. This lasting quality makes it distinctly popular.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 2 oz. 90c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.70.

**FLORIDA HIGH BUSH** Especially adapted for growing in localities where fruits must be kept off the ground. Fruits slightly longer than thick, deep glossy color. When in best condition for use, they are of excellent size for serving. Usually bears more heavily than the bush varieties.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 2 oz. 90c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.70.

**IMPROVED LARGE PURPLE (Spineless)** A popular variety owing to the vigor and productivity of the plants and the large size and fine quality of the fruits. The large, spreading plant yields 4 to 6 large oval fruits of fine dark purple color. The flesh is firm, meaty, and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 2 oz. 90c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.70.

# one or two of the more Unusual Vegetables

## ENDIVE

For early use, sow about April 15th; for later supply, sow in June or July in rows 14 to 20 inches apart and when well started thin the plants to 1 foot apart. When nearly full grown, tie the outer leaves together over the center in order to blanch the heart of the plant.

Two or three successive plantings at intervals of a week or 10 days during July will provide endive for winter use. Just before killing frosts in the fall, dig the plants, being careful to take plenty of soil with the roots and to avoid injury to the leaves. Pack the plants closely together, store them in the cellar, and keep as dark as possible.

**BROAD LEAVED BATAVIAN (Escarolle)** Crispness and tenderness make this endive unexcelled for salads. The broad leaves, twisted and waved, are of bright green with midribs nearly white; the inner leaves form a fairly solid cluster which blanches to deep creamy white.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c; lb. \$1.25.

**FULL HEART BATAVIAN** A distinctly improved form of Broad Leaved Batavian. Plant medium large with deep, full, compact well-blanching heart of infolded broad leaves, thick and buttery in texture and of splendid quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**GREEN CURLED, Green Ribbed** The leaves finely divided, giving a mossy appearance. The center tends to blanch to a delicate white. The plant is hardy and vigorous and especially good for fall and winter use.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c; lb. \$1.25.

**LARGE GREEN CURLED, Pink Ribbed** Vigorous and resistant. The midribs of the outer bright green leaves are usually tinged with rose. Deeply divided leaves in center blanch readily.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c; lb. \$1.25.

## GARLIC

**BULBS** As an appetizing dash of flavoring for soups and stews, many people use small quantities of this pear-shaped white bulb. In large amounts it has a strong odor and flavor. To grow garlic in the garden, the several sections or "cloves" of each bulb should be separated and set in rows 10 or 12 inches apart and 4 inches apart in the row. They should be taken up in the fall and stored in a cool, dry place until used.

Bulbs 40c per lb.

## KALE or BORECOLE

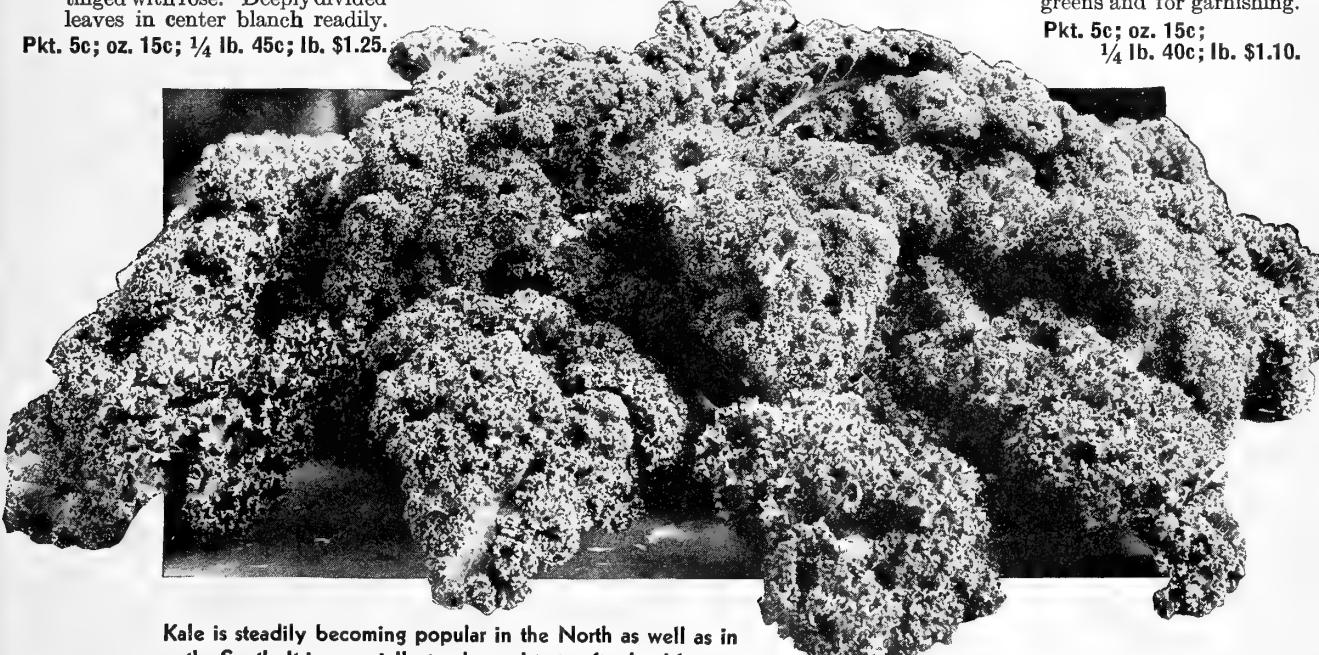
In the South, especially, this member of the cabbage family is widely grown for greens. Most varieties have heavy, densely curled foliage of beautiful green. The culture is practically the same as that of late cabbage, but as the plants will withstand several degrees of frost they can grow late into the fall. Many think Kale best after the first heavy frosts.

**DWARF BLUE CURLED** Improved strain of Dwarf Curled Scotch. Central leaves deeper green, and has greater hardiness for withstanding winter temperatures when the crop is planted in fall.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.10.

**DWARF GREEN CURLED** A popular home garden sort of exceptionally hardy growth. The low spreading plant bears finely curled, large, parsley-like leaves much used for greens and for garnishing.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.10.

A black and white photograph showing a large, dense pile of curly kale leaves. The leaves are tightly packed, with many small, dark, curly leaflets. The overall texture appears rough and fibrous.

Kale is steadily becoming popular in the North as well as in the South. It is especially tender and tasty after hard frost.

## FENNEL

The culture of this vegetable is about the same as that of celery.

**FLORENCE (Sweet Anise)** The bulb at the base of this hardy annual may either be sliced raw, or cooked. The crisp stalks above are often eaten like celery. If covered with soil, the bulb will blanch to a fine creamy white. The plant is branching and has dense feathery foliage that gives off a sweet aroma. (For Sweet Fennel see page 46.)

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c.

**JERSEY or THOUSAND HEADED** A variety frequently attaining a growth of 6 to 8 feet. The strong growing, hardy plants have a profusion of smooth leaves. They are popular for stock and poultry feeding.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. 80c.

**SIBERIAN or SPROUTS (Curled)** Plants very large, 12 to 15 inches tall, with spread of 3 feet or more. Leaves numerous, large, thick in texture; coarse plume-like with margin frilled and waved; deep green with bluish bloom.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. 90c.

**TALL GREEN CURLED SCOTCH** Widely grown for greens. It is ornamental and so hardy that moderate frost improves rather than injures its quality. The plant grows 3 feet high and bears light green densely curled leaves.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.00.



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## HORSE RADISH

Horse radish is grown from pieces of the root. Set the roots in the ground vertically, small end down, with the tops of the roots 1 to 3 inches below the surface. Cultivate thoroughly until the leaves cover the ground; their shade will keep down the weeds.

**MALINER KREN, Small Roots** This improved variety was introduced into the United States by the Department of Agriculture. It produces vigorous growing plants and large, heavy roots of excellent quality.

Roots 5 for 20c; 10 for 35c; 25 for 75c, postpaid in U.S.A.

## KOHL RABI

The delicious flavor of this turnip-shaped bulb combines both cabbage and turnip. As early in spring as possible, sow the seed in light rich soil in rows 1½ feet apart. When plants are well established, thin to 6 inches apart in the row. Plant at intervals of 10 days for a succession of bulbs until hot weather, after which they fail to grow. For fall use, plant the last of July.

**EARLY PURPLE VIENNA** 60 days. Standard early sort.

Plants small; leaves dark green with profuse purple staining. Bulbs flattened globe-shape, best for use when 2 to 2½ inches in diameter but become larger; exterior purple, but flesh white; mild, crisp, and tender.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**EARLY WHITE VIENNA (For Forcing)** The best table sort if used when the bulbs are 2 inches in diameter. It matures very early and produces medium sized, light green bulbs with white flesh of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

## LEEK

This widely cultivated species of the onion family is a favorite substitute for green onions in fall and winter. It is a tasty addition to soups and stews. Sow early in spring in rows 12 to 15 inches apart, covering ½ inch deep. Thin the plants to 6 inches apart in the row and draw the earth about them when cultivating. If you desire very white and tender leeks, transplant when about 6 inches tall, set 4 inches apart in trenches about 2 feet apart, and gradually earth up like celery.

**GIANT MUSSELBURG** The rich flavor of this extra large leek has made it popular. It is a very hardy sort with dark green fan-shaped leaves. The edible stems are 6 to 8 inches in length and about 3 inches in diameter.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**LARGE FLAG** The most extensively used and highly desirable variety of strong growing leek. Very easily cultivated in the home garden. It is broad leaved, with rather short but very thick stems.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**MONSTROUS CARENTAN** By far the largest leek in cultivation. The stems often measure 3 inches in diameter and still keep their whiteness and tenderness. It is an exceptionally hardy garden sort.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

## LETTUCE

Lettuce seed germinates quickly and may be planted as soon as the cold wet days of spring are past. Sow seed in rows 15 to 18 inches apart, covering not more than ½ inch deep. The loose leaved type may be thinned to an inch or so apart as soon as a few leaves are formed, and when large enough for the table, they may be thinned as used. In this way space is provided at about the same rate as required for normal growth.

The conditions necessary to grow good head lettuce are rich soil, plenty of moisture, and steady growth from the time the seeds are planted until the heads are ready to use. A check in growth from lack of nourishment or moisture usually means no head. The most satisfactory results come from growing lettuce in cool weather. The seed should therefore be sown in boxes indoors or in the hot bed and set out as soon as weather conditions are favorable. If this is not practicable, sowing may be made in the open ground as soon as soil and weather conditions permit. The plants should be thinned to 10 inches apart in the row and thorough cultivation given to keep down the weeds and conserve moisture. A light application of fertilizer, such as nitrate of soda, used after the plants have made some growth, will be found very beneficial.

## HEADING VARIETIES

**BIG BOSTON** 76 days. Very popular in all parts of the world; known as Trocadero in Europe. Especially valuable for summer and fall use out-of-doors, and for hotbed and cold frame culture. Glossy, plain edged leaves tinged brown on the margins; forms a firm, well folded head, buttery-yellow at the heart and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**BLACK SEEDED BIG BOSTON** Similar to regular Big Boston, but has larger outer leaves, and the head is usually not so firm.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**BROWN DUTCH** 76 days. Standard very hardy sort. Plant medium large; dark green overlaid with bronzed; forms moderately firm head, yellowish inside, and of good quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

### If You Can't

\*\*\*grow head lettuce in your locality, be sure to sow plenty of leaf lettuce for early use. Varieties crisp and flavorful are listed on page 28.

# planting Charts

The top photograph shows a large field of lettuce in bloom on one of our California ranches. The plants are about ready to form seed. At the left, men are spreading out the seed that it may become thoroughly dry before threshing. At the right are some of our head lettuce trials. These are made to insure the superior quality of our seeds before they are offered to you.



## HEADING VARIETIES (Continued)

**CRISP AS ICE** 76 days. Particularly valuable for home and market gardens; forms heads under rather adverse weather conditions. Plant medium small; deep green overlaid with dark brown; forms firm, well blanched head of delicate buttery flavor and tender quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

**HANSON** 82 days. Very hardy; widely used in all parts of America. Plant very large with broad, thick, frilled, light yellowish-green leaves; forms quite large, globular, very hard cabbage-like head which is white at the heart, crisp, sweet, and tender. It is best known under the name "Nonpariel" in Canada.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**HUBBARD'S MARKET** 67 days. Well known cabbage, butter-heading variety; also popular in Cuba and South America. Plant dark green with crumpled straight edged leaves; compact; forms medium sized, fairly firm, globular head which is well blanched, buttery and sweet.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**ICEBERG** 82 days. Very popular for home gardens; tender head and thin leaves make it unsuitable for shipping. Plant large with broad, crisp, wavy light green leaves tinged brown on margins. Head very large, hard, crumpled; white inside; crisp, very sweet and of good quality, but not buttery. Must not be confused with the familiar shipping variety, New York, which is commonly called Iceberg by shippers and green grocers.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**IMPERIAL F** One of the most satisfactory of the Imperial types. Has few outside leaves, forms firm heads, and is quite early. It grows rather upright; leaves are bright green, well savoyed, but only slightly serrated on the edges.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

**MAMMOTH BLACK SEEDED BUTTER** 72 days. Especially desirable for spring planting in home gardens. Plant large, medium green; head large, firm; interior well blanched to light golden-yellow; delicate buttery flavor. Similar to Black Seeded Tennisball and Salamander, but larger.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**MAY KING** 61 days. The earliest heading lettuce; standard for greenhouse forcing and does splendidly out of doors in early spring. Plants small, allowing very close planting, light green tinged with brown; head medium small, round, firm; interior rich golden-yellow, buttery, of splendid quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**MIGNONETTE** 66 days. The most popular lettuce in Hawaii, Guam, and the Philippines. Plant medium small; compact; medium brown with dark greenish tinge; leaves frilled; head globular; firm; heart almost white; excellent quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

**NEW YORK or LOS ANGELES** The most widely used lettuce; grown in immense quantities on the Pacific Coast and shipped to all parts of the country. Plant large, dark green, crisp heading; outer leaves notched and slightly curled on the edges. Large, tightly folded cabbage-like head is well blanched, crisp, and sweet.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

**NEW YORK SPECIAL NO. 12** An early variety which does well in mid-summer and is an even and well-bred selection. It is a trifle lighter in color than other strains of New York, but is popular with shippers.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

# Starting a garden too early Wastes Seed;

## LETTUCE—HEADING (Continued)

**SALAMANDER** 70 days. Particularly popular with market gardeners because it forms fairly good heads when the weather is so warm that most varieties fail. Head globular, hard and buttery; of sweet, delicate flavor. The same as Black Seeded Tennisball.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**WHITE BOSTON** 76 days. Our White Boston is the perfected pure-bred strain of Unrivaled. This is a cabbage, butter-head type, leaves smooth and straight on the edges. Plant and head entirely light green; heart buttery and yellow. This strain is the best in existence, and we have given it this name to distinguish it from Big Boston.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 55c; lb. \$1.65.

**WHITE BOSTON CORNELL NO. 43** A strain of White Boston developed by the New York State College of Agriculture. Produces larger, darker green plants than the parent strain. Proved very satisfactory in tests made during the past season. Worthy of trial wherever a larger type of White Boston is wanted.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.00.

## LETTUCE—LOOSE LEAVED VARIETIES

**BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON** Early. Dependable in all parts of America and widely grown in home and market gardens. Plant large, attractive, compact; broad, frilled light green leaves that are of fine crisp texture and splendid quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**CHICKEN LETTUCE** Very hardy, rapid growing, medium light green, non-heading butter type which produces flower stalks early and furnishes an abundance of leaves over a long period of growth.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**EARLY CURLED SIMPSON** Also known as "White Seeded Simpson." Hardy, dependable, early; popular for home gardens. Plant large, compact, light lustrous green; leaves broad, frilled, firm, crisp, sweet, and of good quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**GRAND RAPIDS** Very early. Hardy, disease resistant; the most widely used and best adapted variety for greenhouse forcing. Plants large, upright, compact, and handsome; bright solid light green; leaves large, broad; margin much frilled; very tender and sweet when grown under glass.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**OHIO GRAND RAPIDS** The same as Grand Rapids except that the foliage is darker green and not so tender. The variety stands more abuse in handling.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

**PRIZE HEAD** Very early, quick growing, and one of the most popular for home gardens, particularly on the Pacific Coast. Plant medium large, strictly loose-leaf; leaves broad, crumpled, and frilled; outside leaves tinged red, inner leaves wholly green; very crisp, sweet, and tender.

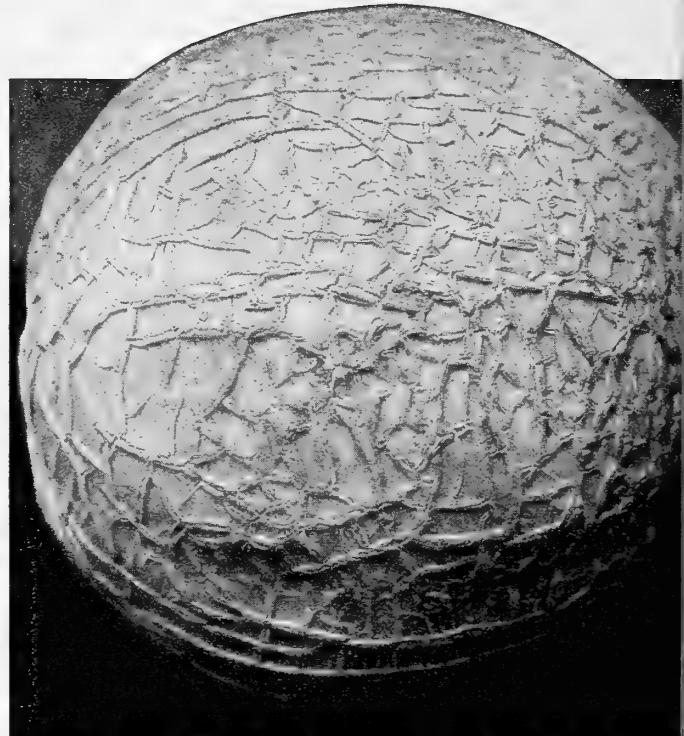
Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

## COS or ROMAINE

This lettuce is frequently called celery lettuce on account of its erect habit of growth and because it possesses dark colored spatulate leaves with prominent midribs. When grown in home gardens, plants should be thinned to about 8 inches apart so that each one will have plenty of room. Does not make solid heads in hot weather.

**DARK GREEN** The outside of this variety is dark green, but the interior is decidedly lighter. The heads are about 7 or 8 inches in height; when fully blanched they are white with the faintest tint of green, and the midribs are white at heart. The leaves are especially succulent and sweet.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.



Muskmelons are never so delicious as when they ripen on the vine.

**WHITE PARIS or TRIANON** As a salad lettuce for the home garden this has no superior. It grows about 8 or 9 inches tall. The outer leaves are medium light green, and the interior of the head is whitish-green.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

## MUSKMELOON

Few products of the garden give as much pleasure as ripe sweet melons fresh from the vines. Our list is made up of the most desirable varieties suited for growing wherever melons can be grown.

In sections where the summers are short, seed can be planted indoors or in hot beds in small boxes. The young plants can be transferred to the garden when danger of frost is past. If practicable, spade in a liberal forkful of well rotted manure at the bottom of each hill. The rows should be at least 6 feet apart and the hills 3 feet apart in the rows. In general, the culture is the same as that for cucumber.

## ORANGE FLESHED VARIETIES

**BENDER'S SURPRISE** A delicious salmon-fleshed melon, very popular in New York State. Fruit medium to large; oval; distinctly ribbed and covered with slight patches of netting; skin light yellow when ripe. 85 to 90 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.50.

**BURRELL'S GEM or DEFENDER** This fine melon is popular for home garden growing. The fruits are normally 7 inches long when ripe, distinctly oval in shape, slightly ribbed, and closely netted on the ribs. The thick fine-grained flesh is rich yellowish-salmon in color and ripens clear to the rind. Midseason, ripening in 95 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.35.

# starting too late Wastes Time



vines in your own garden. This is Honey Rock, one of the newer varieties.

**EARLY OSAGE** Excellent for nearby markets and home gardens. Fruits 6 to 7 inches long; almost round; with shallow furrows and sparse shallow netting. Flesh very thick; salmon-orange; fine grained; sweet and aromatic. 84 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.50.

**EMERALD GEM** The standard very early variety for home garden and nearby market. Fruits flattened globe-shape, 5 to 5½ inches long, ribbed; smooth with practically no netting; not suitable for shipping. Flesh very thick; deep salmon-orange; sweet, juicy and aromatic. 80 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.35.

**GOLDEN CHAMPLAIN** Earliest of the orange fleshed melons; 75 to 80 days. Nearly round, slightly flattened at ends, 5 to 6 inches in diameter. Usually slightly ribbed and covered with an open, moderately coarse netting. The flesh is fairly thick, deep orange-salmon in color, juicy, and very sweet. When fully ripe, the fruits show a golden color through the netting. A very good early market and home garden variety.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.35.

**HALE'S BEST** An early melon, ripening in 75 to 80 days. The nearly round fruits are normally 6 to 6½ inches long, densely covered with medium heavy netting and almost devoid of ribbing. The flesh is very thick and fine grained, deep salmon-pink in color, and richly flavored.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.50.

**HEARTS OF GOLD** This popular medium sized melon follows the earlier varieties. It is fine to plant for succession as it ripens in about 100 days. The fruits are 5 to 6 inches in diameter. The smooth orange-salmon flesh is exceptionally thick and fine flavored.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.50.

**HONEY ROCK** Popular new early variety. Fruits 5 to 6 inches in diameter, round to slightly flattened; shallow ribbed and more or less netted. Rind hard and brittle; flesh medium thick; color deep salmon; juicy; sweet musky flavor.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.50.

**IMPROVED PERFECTO** An early melon, ripening in 80 to 85 days. Fruits are 6 to 7 inches in diameter and almost spherical. They are solidly netted and cream colored when ripe. Even among thick fleshed melons this is outstanding for its thickness, fine quality, and flavor.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 70c; lb. \$1.75.

**PERSIAN** This melon has a distinctive flavor. It measures 8 to 12 inches in diameter and is usually rounded in shape. The flesh is bright orange, very thick, and juicy. It requires warm weather and is not pleasing to the taste unless allowed to ripen thoroughly on the vines. There are no ribs on the surface, but it is heavily netted.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.50.

**TIP TOP** One of the earliest of large home garden melons; 85 to 90 days. A short, oval melon, usually 7 or 8 inches long, symmetrically ribbed with a medium amount of netting, and creamy-yellow when ripe. The thick deep yellow flesh is fine grained and sweet flavored.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.35.

## GREEN FLESHED VARIETIES

**NETTED GEM or ROCKY FORD** A comparatively small green fleshed melon of the oval type, weighing about 2 pounds, and ideal for serving in halves. It is probably one of the most widely known and extensively grown of its class. A sure and abundant yielder.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.35.

**10-25 SALMON TINT** An excellent main crop cantaloupe of the Rocky Ford type. It is medium early, about 94 days. The abundant fruit is rounded, 5 or 6 inches long, and salmon colored shading to light green near the rind. The small seed cavity is enclosed in thick, juicy, fragrant flesh.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.35.

## "WINTER" VARIETIES

**CASSABA, GOLDEN BEAUTY** This medium sized melon is globe-shaped and pinched at the stem end, and its leathery rind is rich golden-yellow in color. Cassabas cannot be raised successfully where the summer season is short. In California and the Gulf States they are greatly valued.

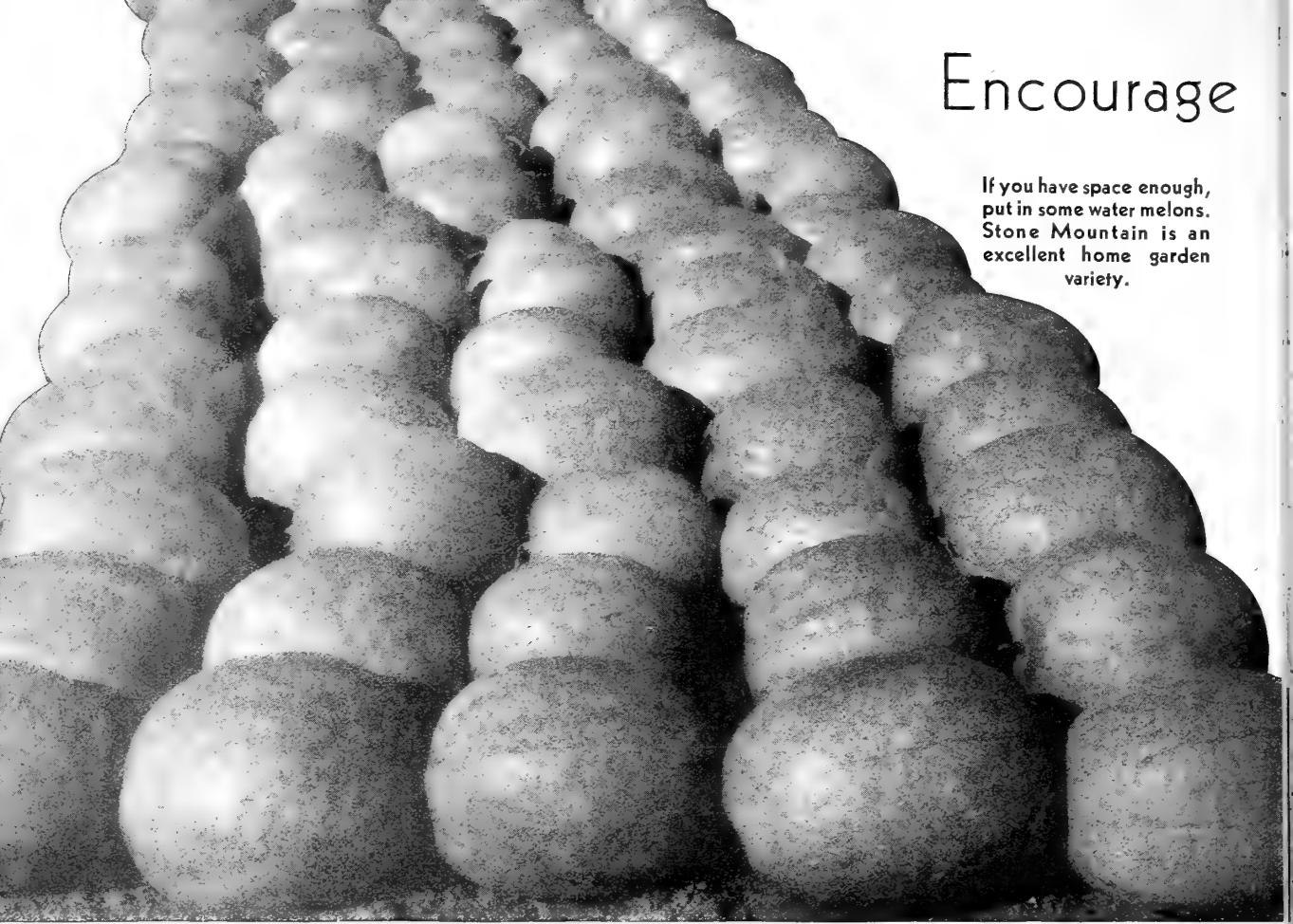
Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.35.

**HONEY BALL** The result of a cross between a small round variety named Cannon Ball and the popular Honey Dew. It inherits the small size and ball shape of the former and the color and quality of the latter. It is earlier than Honey Dew and can be grown where the season is shorter. A very prolific and long keeping variety of high quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 45c; lb. \$1.25.

**HONEY DEW, Green Fleshed** The best known of the so-called winter melons. The creamy-yellow fruits are nearly round, about 6 inches in diameter, with a downy sparsely netted skin. Honey Dew has very thick flesh, light emerald green in color. It is fine grained, melting, and delicious. The melons may be picked before they are fully ripe and stored in a cool place.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.35.



# Encourage

If you have space enough,  
put in some water melons.  
Stone Mountain is an  
excellent home garden  
variety.

## WATER MELON

The requirements for raising water melons are practically the same as for muskmelons except that the vines are more spreading and require considerably more room. If the hills are liberally manured and cultivation is careful and thorough, any home gardener can have these delicious fruits fresh from his own patch.

**CITRON, Red Seeded** For preserves and candied fruit. The stock we offer produces an abundance of round green fruits distinctly marked with irregular stripes. The flesh is white, very firm, and solid. Citron is not good to eat uncooked.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**DIXIE QUEEN** Much used in the South for shipping, and also good for home gardens because of the excellent quality. Fruits nearly round, light green striped with darker green, often weigh 40 to 50 pounds; rind thin, but tough. The deep red flesh is crisp and sweet. The few seeds are white.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

**FERRY'S PEERLESS** Highest quality very early melon. Fruits of medium size, roundish to oval; bright green, faintly veined; rind firm, brittle; flesh bright scarlet, of splendid quality; seeds white. Sometimes sold as Ice Cream.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**FLORIDA FAVORITE** A large midseason melon of long-oval shape. Under Northern conditions the mature fruits weigh 25 pounds and ripen in about 95 days. They become larger in the warmer sections and are popular on account of the sugary sweetness of the crisp luscious flesh.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**HARRIS' EARLIEST** By far the earliest and one of the most attractive water melons. The fruits are oval but blocky. They ripen in 80 days and are large for so early a melon. Home gardeners in the North will find this particularly satisfactory.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**IRISH GREY** Main crop. Especially valuable for distant shipping. Fruits large; oblong; uniform light grayish-green; rind extremely hard and tough; flesh bright red; of good quality. Seeds white.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**KLECKLEY'S SWEETS or MONTE CRISTO** Distinctly a home garden melon as the dark bluish-green rind is so crisp that it breaks easily. The long, oval fruits are slightly larger near the blossom end. They weigh from 25 to 35 pounds and ripen in 105 days. We know of none better in quality of flesh.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**KLONDIKE, Brown Seeded** This is the outstanding variety for shipping and home garden use in California. Popular because of its delicious flavor and attractive interior color. Flesh bright red and very sweet. Fruits oblong and of uniform green color.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

**KLONDIKE, Black Seeded** Similar in all respects to Klondike, Brown Seeded, except in color of seed.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

**KLONDIKE, Striped** A new selection. It is the same size and has much the same qualities as Klondike, Brown Seeded. Fruits striped dark and light green, resembling the well-known Georgia Rattlesnake, but it should not be confused with that variety.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

**ROUND LIGHT ICING** Medium early. Fruits light green faintly veined with darker green; rind brittle; flesh bright light red; crisp and sweet; seeds white. Fruits roundish and a trifle smaller, but otherwise very similar to Long Light Icing.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

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**STONE MOUNTAIN** This variety combines extra large size with earliness. It is nearly round in shape, pleasingly green in color, and unexcelled for sweetness and juiciness. Fruits weigh 60 to 80 pounds in the South, and the 95 days required for maturity make it easily possible to grow correspondingly large fruits in the North.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**SWEET HEART** Fruits very large; round to slightly oblong, with blocky ends; light green with fine, darker veining; rind hard and tough; flesh bright red, crisp, and sweet; seeds black.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**TOM WATSON** This long smooth melon is especially favored in the South. The rich green skin is faintly webbed with a veining of deeper green, and the thin rind is tough and rubbery. Vines hardy, vigorous, and productive; flesh distinctly crisp and juicy.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**WONDER** Comparatively new. Useful for home garden and nearby markets, but tender rind makes it unsuitable for long distance shipping. Large dark green, oblong fruits, often 22 inches long. Flesh rich red, sweet, and fine textured. Seeds white.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

## MUSTARD

Mustard greens are as healthful and nourishing as spinach. Mustard is related to turnip, and although the tops are much alike in richness of flavor, mustard leaves are more tender, and the stems are not so long and coarse.

Seed may be sown from early spring to midsummer in rows 18 inches apart. Thin to 5 or 6 inches apart in the rows. The plants are in condition for use as soon as the leaves are the size of one's hand. Mustard runs to seed quickly, so that successive plantings are necessary for a continuous supply.

**CHINESE** The leaves of this variety are round and unfrilled, rough in texture, and very dark green. They grow to a length of 9 inches and are about 8 inches broad. A little slower growing than the frilled varieties, but longer standing.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 70c.

**FORDHOOK FANCY** The plume-like leaves of this variety are closely curled and finely fringed. The medium yellowish-green color and compact erect habit of growth lend a decorative touch to the garden, and the tender quality and fine flavor make it most desirable for salads and greens.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 70c.

**FLORIDA BROAD LEAF** This is a quick growing and very productive variety which remains in condition for use a long time. The leaves are rounded, very slightly crumpled, unfrilled, and very large. They are medium light green with a broad, pale green midrib. Very popular.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

**MUSTARD SPINACH or TENDERGREEN** Plants of rapid and vigorous growth with comparatively narrow, spoon-shaped leaves of dark green. It will stand longer than most varieties without sending up seed stalks. This mustard is recommended for the home garden as well as for shipping.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 70c.

**SOUTHERN GIANT CURLED** The leaves are large, light green with a tinge of yellow, and much crumpled and frilled at the edges. The plant is upright or slightly spreading in growth. This variety is valued in the South on account of its vigorous growth, hardness, and good quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 70c.

## MUSHROOM

Mushrooms can be grown in cellars, sheds, hotbeds, and sometimes in the open air, the chief essentials being uniform degrees of temperature and moisture. The necessary cultural directions are published in pamphlet form, a copy of which we shall be pleased to send on request.

**PURE CULTURE SPAWN** Our spawn is produced from the original spore cultures under the new French process, permitting the indefinite reproduction of the variety selected. We use stock of the white variety which is generally preferred.

**Brick Spawn** Bricks weigh about 1 1/4 lbs. This is sufficient to spawn about 10 square feet. **Per brick 45c.**

**Bottle Spawn** Sufficient to spawn 40 square feet. **\$1.25.**  
Postpaid in U. S. A.

## OKRA or GUMBO

Okra pods are used in soups, stews, catsup and other relishes and are very popular in the South. They are at their best when 1 to 3 inches long. Seed does not germinate well at cool temperatures, and planting should be delayed until the ground is warm. Drop 4 or 5 seeds to the foot in rows about 2 1/2 feet apart and cover about an inch deep. Thin to about 1 1/2 feet in the row and keep thoroughly cultivated.

**DWARF LONG POD, GREEN** This okra is especially adapted for home garden use because the pods remain in prime condition for cooking or canning until quite large. They are long, fluted, dark green, and of very good quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**PERKIN'S MAMMOTH LONG POD** This prolific and early variety yields pods 4 or 5 inches long; they are slightly corrugated, very tender, and of good quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**WHITE VELVET** Produces very large white pods that are smooth and tender until nearly full size.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

## ONION

A row or two of onions in the home garden will furnish a supply from midsummer to the following spring. Onions are very hardy, and the seeds will germinate in cool weather. They can be safely planted just as soon as the soil can be prepared. Shallow planting is advisable, 1/4 to 1/2 inch being about right. When 2 or 3 inches tall, the young plants can be thinned to prevent crowding. They may be thinned again when 6 or 8 inches tall, and the plants removed can be used as green onions. After that, they can be pulled as needed, and those that are left to become fully ripe can be stored for winter.

## RED VARIETIES

**RED WETHERSFIELD** This is one of the oldest and best known red onions. Even in poor soils it produces heavily, and in the East it is extensively grown. The bulbs are large and flat, but quite thick, with a deep purple-red skin. The flesh is purplish-white and moderately fine grained, with a rather strong but pleasant flavor. It is one of the best keepers. Used for sets.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.15; lb. \$3.50.

**SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE** Our trials continue to prove that this variety also is one of the best keepers. The globes are medium to large in size and medium early. A smooth deep purplish-red skin covers the paler flesh which is mild, fine grained, and tender. Excellent for home gardens.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

# Both Onions and Peas like Rich Soil,



**Yellow Globe Danvers** is one of the most satisfactory onion varieties for home gardens. It keeps well for winter use.

## YELLOW VARIETIES

**AUSTRALIAN BROWN** This extra long keeping onion is noted for remaining crisp and firm until spring. It matures early and is a sure cropper. The reddish-brown skin protects a white, crisp, solid onion.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.15; lb. \$3.25.

**EARLY YELLOW GLOBE** Excellent globe-shaped onion which will stand storage better than most early varieties. Ripens down well, and under normal conditions bulbs are ready for market 10 days to two weeks ahead of Southport Yellow Globe. Color rich deep yellow. Vigorous and productive.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50; lb. \$4.75.

**EBENEZER** A large, somewhat flattened onion with yellow skin and white, firm flesh. Matures in 90 days and keeps hard and sound all winter. A leading variety for onion sets.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

**OHIO YELLOW GLOBE** Very widely used variety of splendid keeping quality. Bulbs oblong globe shape at upper half and a trifle flattened at the base; skin pure deep yellow; flesh firm and hard. Michigan Yellow Globe is the same.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 45c; 1/4 lb. \$1.40; lb. \$4.00.

**PRIZETAKER** One of the largest of the late or main crop sorts. Its globular shape, yellowish-brown skin, white tender flesh, and mild flavor have won it great popularity. It is very productive and keeps well into the winter.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

**SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE** A very hardy and prolific late or main crop variety. It is similar to Southport Red Globe, but the bulbs are rich yellow, average a bit larger in size, and mature later. The creamy-white flesh is fine grained and of a mild and excellent flavor.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50; lb. \$4.50.

**SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE (Brigham Strain)** Grown from selected bulbs of the original strain. Very solid; globe shaped. Preferred by many growers because of its fine keeping qualities.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50; lb. \$4.75.

**SWEET BERMUDA** Medium to large, flat, yellow onion. Popular early variety for the South. White flesh, very mild and sweet.

Pkt. 5c; Pkts. Only

**SWEET SPANISH (Riverside Strain)** Steadily increasing in popularity due to large size, attractive yellowish-brown covering, and excellent flavor. Under favorable conditions the globe-shaped bulbs often weigh two pounds. They possess a delicious mild flavor, and they keep well.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

**WHITE SWEET SPANISH** Similar to the original Sweet Spanish except that it is white fleshed. Globe shaped. Good keeper.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50; lb. \$4.75.

**YELLOW DANVERS, FLAT** Hardy, easily grown, good keeper. Fine for general purposes and for sets. Bulbs medium large; flat, but fairly thick; clear bright yellow; flesh white with faint tint of yellow; firm and hard.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

**YELLOW DUTCH or STRASBURG** Our stock of this early variety is distinctly superior in size of bulb, uniformity of shape, and evenness of color. The large flat onions have a creamy-white mild flesh protected by a straw-colored skin. The variety ripens quickly, keeps very well, and is extensively used for onion sets.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

**YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS** The most extensively used yellow onion for the home garden. The bulbs are medium to large sized, uniformly globe-shaped, white fleshed, crisp and mild. Highly recommended.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 45c; 1/4 lb. \$1.40; lb. \$4.25.

## WHITE VARIETIES

**SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE** Abundant yield and large size are valuable characteristics of this medium early onion. Its whiteness, firmness, and mild flavor are also splendid qualities, especially for cooking. By years of careful selection and breeding we have developed a strain that is unsurpassed in uniformity and attractiveness of shape and color.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50; lb. \$4.50.

**WHITE PORTUGAL (American Silverskin)** The best flattened white onion. When young, it is a favorite as green onions or in salads. Medium early, of middle size, and an excellent keeper. Especially good in Northern latitudes. Often used for sets.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

**EXTRA EARLY BARLETTA** Extremely early. Largely grown for pickling, sometimes for early green onions. Bulbs medium small, almost round at pickling stage, but become flat; silvery white; flesh white, sweet, and mild.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

**MAMMOTH SILVER KING** This largest of the white varieties produces a great quantity of bulbs 4 or 5 inches in diameter. They are midseason in maturity, flat, very tender, and mildly flavored.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

**QUEEN** The earliest of all onions, very white skinned, and of special value for pickling. Although when full grown the bulbs are flat and 2 inches in diameter, at pickling size they are small and nearly round. The quality is mild and sweet.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

**WHITE LISBON** Grown almost exclusively as an early bunching onion. When mature, the round, white bulbs are almost 3 inches in diameter.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.25; lb. \$3.75.

# and plenty of Coolness and Moisture

## PEAS

To be at their best, peas need moderate temperature, plenty of moisture, and long daylight hours. They are not injured by light frosts and may be planted as early in spring as the condition of the soil will permit.

The time needed to reach table condition is so evenly graduated among the varieties that by planting some of the several varieties at the same time a well-arranged succession can be obtained extending over a period of 30 days. Successive plantings of a desirable variety will also provide a succession, but this cannot be extended over as long a period with good results.

The seeds should be planted in rows at a depth of 1½ to 2 inches. The rows should be 21 to 28 inches apart for dwarf varieties and about 28 to 42 inches apart for the taller sorts.

All varieties growing more than 1½ feet high do better if staked up or otherwise supported when 4 to 6 inches tall. This support is usually given by sharpened branches of trees set between the double rows.

**Not less than 5 lbs. of a variety sold at the 10 lb. rate.**

**Prices postpaid in U. S. A.**

### FIRST EARLY VARIETIES

**ALASKA** This variety is extremely early. The round pods, 2½ inches long, contain 5 to 8 peas which are ready for use in about 55 days. The peas are small, round, and tender. The vines are 2½ to 3 feet tall, and when possible they should be given support. Seeds are small, round, and bluish-green.

**Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**ALASKA, WILT RESISTANT** Desirable for planting in sections infested with wilt. Practically the same as Alaska in other respects.

**Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**AMERICAN WONDER or NOTT'S EXCELSIOR** Very important early dwarf variety for the home garden, 59 days. Vines 12 to 14 inches high; dark green; very productive. Pods medium green; 3 inches long, ½ inch wide; plump, straight, blunt ended; seeds medium small, squarish, wrinkled, green, interior green.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**

**EXTRA EARLY** As early as Alaska and much used in home and market gardens. Vines 30 inches tall, usually a trifle darker green than Alaska, but otherwise similar. Pods borne singly; light green; 2½ inches long, ½ inch wide; plump, blunt. Seeds round, faintly dimpled, cream colored, interior yellow.

**Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.**

**GRADUS** Earliness and high quality are combined in this wrinkled pea of medium height. The vines are 3 to 3½ feet tall and bear pods 4 inches long, filled with 6 to 9 large peas. They are ready for use in 55 to 62 days and are undoubtedly as sweet and tender as any variety in cultivation. Seeds are large and wrinkled.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**

**HUNDREDFOLD** Those who prefer large pods on dwarf vines will find in this variety a good combination. The vines are 18 to 20 inches tall, and the pods 4 inches long. They are ready for use in about 60 days and contain 6 to 8 large dark green peas of very good quality. Under favorable conditions this variety produces well. The creamy-yellow seeds are large and wrinkled.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**

**LAXTONIAN** A little earlier than other dwarf large-podded peas, this variety is generally considered the best of its class. The blue-green pods are often more than 4 inches long and contain 8 dark green peas of finest quality. It is especially recommended for home garden use. The seeds are large, wrinkled; green and cream in color.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**

**LAXTON'S PROGRESS** Produces the largest pods of any of the early dwarf varieties. Especially uniform in size, in growth, and in time when ready for use. The large dark green pods are borne in abundance and are well filled with extra large tender peas of superior quality. The creamy-yellow seeds are large and wrinkled. 60 days.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**



A hundred-foot row in the garden will supply plenty of peas for an average family.

**LITTLE MARVEL** This desirable dwarf variety is only 4 or 5 days later than the earliest garden pea. The dark green vines, 18 to 20 inches tall, grow vigorously and are laden with pods 3 inches long, blunt ended, and packed with peas of medium size. These are temptingly dark green, and very tender and sweet. Seeds are squarish, wrinkled, and green in color.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**

**PREMIUM GEM** Valuable home garden variety, ready in 62 days. Vines 18 inches tall, medium green. Pods medium green; 2¾ inches long, ½ inch thick; plump, straight, blunt ended. Seeds medium sized, green, wrinkled, interior green.

**Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.**



# Grown-ups

## MIDSEASON VARIETIES

**ALDERMAN** The dark green vigorous vines grow  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 feet tall and are very productive. The pods are the largest of the commercially grown varieties, often 5 to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, broad with tapered end, and rich dark green in color. They hold 7 to 9 peas of the largest size and finest quality. The seeds are green, wrinkled and pear-shaped. 75 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**BLISS EVERBEARING** Popular for the home garden and similar to Yorkshire Hero. Vines 30 inches tall; dark green; thrifty; of long bearing period. Pods medium green; borne in pairs; 3 inches long,  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch wide; plump, straight, blunt. Green peas large, sweet; of marrowy texture. Dry seeds large, green, wrinkled, interior pale green. 72 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**DWARF TELEPHONE OR DAISY** Only about 2 feet tall. Resembles Telephone, and the pods are well filled with peas of the same good quality. It is an excellent variety to follow the early peas in the home garden. Seeds large, wrinkled, green. 75 to 80 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

**GIANT STRIDE** A large-podded shipping variety. About the same season as Stratagem. Vines about two feet tall, dark green, and vigorous. Pods  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, dark green, pointed, slightly curved and plump.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

**GREEN ADMIRAL** Prolific variety grown chiefly for canning. Vines 48 inches tall, slender, branched. Pods medium green;  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches long,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch wide; plump, straight, blunt. Seeds small, finely wrinkled, green with green interior; whereas Admiral has creamy-yellow seeds with yellow interior. 72 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

### PEAS—First Early Varieties (Continued)

**THOMAS LAXTON** This has no superior as an early pea of medium height. It is ready for table use 54 to 60 days after planting. The vines are strong with large medium dark green foliage and grow  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 feet tall. They bear a surprising number of dark green pods, blunt ended, and 4 to  $4\frac{1}{4}$  inches long. These are well filled with large tender peas which retain their pleasing flavor and sweetness until they begin to harden. The home gardener should make this his choice of the first early varieties. Seeds large, wrinkled, creamy-yellow and green.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**WORLD'S RECORD** An improved earlier maturing type of Gradus. Vines 30 inches tall, moderately stout. Pods about 4 inches long, broad, pointed; contain 7 to 8 large deep green peas of excellent quality. 52 to 56 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**MCLEAN'S ADVANCER or PERFECTION** Particularly valuable for canning because of heavy yield, uniform ripening, and high quality. Vines 33 inches high; somewhat branched; dark green. Pods borne in pairs; medium green;  $3\frac{1}{4}$  inches long,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch wide; plump, straight, blunt ended. Green peas medium in size, deep green, very uniform. Seeds medium small, green, wrinkled, interior green. 68 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**MORSE'S MARKET** A new large-podded early-midseason pea. Vines robust, 24 to 30 inches tall; pods 5 to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, produced abundantly even to the tip and branches. A fine variety to plant with early peas for succession.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

**TELEPHONE** The vigorous vines with large light green leaves are 4 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  feet tall, heavily loaded with large well-formed pods, often 5 to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches long. These are light yellowish-green and normally contain 8 to 10 large peas of delicate light green color and unexcelled quality. Dry seeds are large, pear-shaped, wrinkled and green. 73 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

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## PEAS— LATE VARIETIES

### CHAMPION OF ENGLAND

Excellent for home and market gardens. Vines  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 feet tall; dark green; branched. Pods light green, often in pairs; 3 inches long,  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch wide; very plump; straight; blunt. Seeds medium size; finely wrinkled; green; interior green. Peas ready in 79 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**IMPROVED STRATEGEM** Also known as Potlatch or Prize-winner. The vine, about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet tall, bears large pods of the Telephone type. These are ready for use in 77 to 80 days. Large, squarish seeds are wrinkled and green.

Carton 10c; lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**LARGE BLACKEYE MARROWFAT** Very productive late variety for home garden; grown extensively for dry use. Vines 5 feet tall, light green. Pods light green, 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches long,  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch wide; very plump; straight; blunt. Green peas of a rich marrowy flavor. Seeds large, round, creamy-buff with black eye; interior yellow. 82 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**LARGE WHITE MARROWFAT** Another productive late variety for home gardens; very suitable for dry use. Vines 5 feet tall, light green. Pods light green, 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches long;  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch wide; very plump, straight, blunt. Green peas of rich marrowy flavor. Seeds large, round, entirely creamy-buff in color; interior yellow. 82 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

## PARSLEY

Parsley leaves may be used green, or they may be dried crisp, rubbed to powder, and kept bottled.

Parsley seed is even slower than parsnip in germinating. It grows best in rich mellow soil and should be sown as early as possible in spring in rows 1 to 2 feet apart with a covering of not more than  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch of soil firmly pressed down. When the plants are well up, thin them 8 to 12 inches apart in the row. As soon as those of the curled varieties are about 3 inches high, cut off all the leaves; the new growth will be brighter and better curled. Every cutting will improve the quality of the leaves.

**DOUBLE CURLED** Very handsome; rich, deep green with finely curled leaves.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 2 oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c.

**EXTRA TRIPLE CURLED (Moss Curled)** This vigorous compact grower is one of the most popular varieties because of its deep green color and tightly curled leaves that look like moss. It is unusually decorative for table use.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 2 oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c.

**HAMBURG, Thick Rooted** The root of this variety is edible and resembles a slender parsnip in color and shape. The flesh is white, dry, and similar to Celeriac in flavor. It is used for flavoring soups and stews. The roots may be stored in sand for winter use.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 2 oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c.

**PARAMOUNT** A new and improved triple-curled variety of our own development. Unusually rich dark green foliage tightly curled. Ideally suited for home and market gardens. (For further description and illustration, see pages 4 and 5.)

Pkt. 15c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c.

**PLAIN or SINGLE** The leaves are deeply cut, flat, and dark green in color. They are much used for flavoring and for drying. The plant is hardy and easily grown.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 2 oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c.

## Have You Heard

▲ ▲ ▲ that Parsley contains a large amount of the iron so necessary for bodily health?

## PEAS—EDIBLE POD VARIETIES

These varieties have all the sweetness and flavor of fresh green peas. When the pods are partly filled, they are prepared like snap beans; when the seeds have developed, they are eaten as shelled peas.

**GIANT BUTTER** Pods brittle and tender as the best snap beans. They are borne profusely on strong branching vines  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 feet tall. In best table condition the pods are  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 inches long, smooth, fleshy, and sharply curved. Often 6 inches long when fully matured. Seeds medium small, wrinkled, green.

Carton 10c; lb. 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

**MELTING SUGAR** One of the best known edible pod varieties. Large broad pods, 4 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, often curved or twisted; when young, stringless, very tender, and richly flavored. The vines, 4 to 5 feet tall, produce an abundance of pods. Seeds medium large, round, and smooth; color creamy-white and yellow. 70 to 75 days.

Carton 10c; lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

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If Hamburg Parsley is new to you, plant some this year and try it creamed or scalloped.



# Peppers Sweet and Peppers Hot

Uses in cooking have divided garden peppers into two classes, "Hot" and "Sweet." Hot peppers are used principally in condiments, in pickles, and in relishes. They are smaller than the sweet ones, and the smallest varieties are usually the hottest. Sweet peppers are larger and have thick flesh. Their flavor is pleasantly mild, and they are becoming more and more popular for stuffing, for use in salads, and for combining with other vegetables and with meats.

Their culture and soil and temperature requirements are about the same as for egg plant. A moderate dressing of guano, poultry manure, or complete commercial fertilizer, hoed into the soil after the plants are 6 or 8 inches tall, will be very beneficial.

## "SWEET" VARIETIES

**CALIFORNIA WONDER** Thickness of flesh alone, which is often  $\frac{3}{8}$  of an inch, places this sweet pepper above all others. It is crisp and juicy, too, without a trace of pungency. Vigorous growing plants bear a heavy yield of blocky fruits that become as much as 5 inches long and 4 inches wide. They are unusually good for serving whole.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.00.

**CHINESE GIANT** Fruits are often 6 inches across and 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 inches deep. The flesh is moderately thick and very mild. The fruits are rich bright green when young, and bright cherry red at maturity.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 80c; 2 oz. \$1.40;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25.

**HARRIS' EARLY GIANT** This is a choice home garden sort, especially for Northern growing, because it ripens early. The peppers are larger than any other early ones, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter and 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, while from 6 to 10 are produced on one plant. For unripe picking they are medium dark green and at maturity are bright red. The flesh is moderately thick and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.10.

**PIMENTO** The fruits of Pimiento are excellent for stuffing and for canning. The shape is distinctly cone-like, the size is medium, and the color glossy green when young, ruby red when ripe.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 70c; 2 oz. \$1.20;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.85.

**RUBY KING** Excellent for home, market garden, and shipping. Plants vigorous, upright, prolific. Fruits large, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 inches long, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches through, slightly tapered; deep green becoming bright deep red; flesh thick, sweet, and mild. Ready in 68 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50.

**WORLD BEATER** One of the best of the large peppers. Fruits 5 inches long by 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter. Flesh mild and thick. Rich deep red when ripe. Very productive and a good shipper.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

## "HOT" VARIETIES

**ANAHEIM** Late; particularly adapted to culture in the South. Popular in home and market gardens and grown on commercial scale for drying and canning. Fruits 6 to 8 inches long, about an inch through; tapered; deep green becoming rich scarlet; mildly pungent.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**HUNGARIAN YELLOW WAX** This early variety is larger and has thicker flesh than other hot peppers. It is excellent for canning. The plants produce a fine crop of fruits 6 to 7 inches long and 2 inches in diameter, crumpled and hooked at the point. The color is waxy light yellow at first, changing to orange and then to bright red.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.10.

**LARGE BELL or BULL NOSE** This earliest pepper of the "bell" type is a combination of both Hot and Sweet; the ribs are quite pungent while the rest of the fruit is mild. The medium-sized square fruits are deep green when immature and scarlet when ripe. Our stock is superior in uniformity of size, shape, and earliness.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**LONG RED CAYENNE** This well-known, medium early pepper is especially good for drying purposes. The fruit is 4 inches long and 1 inch thick, twisted and pointed. It is deep green when young and bright red when ripe. The flesh is strong and pungent.

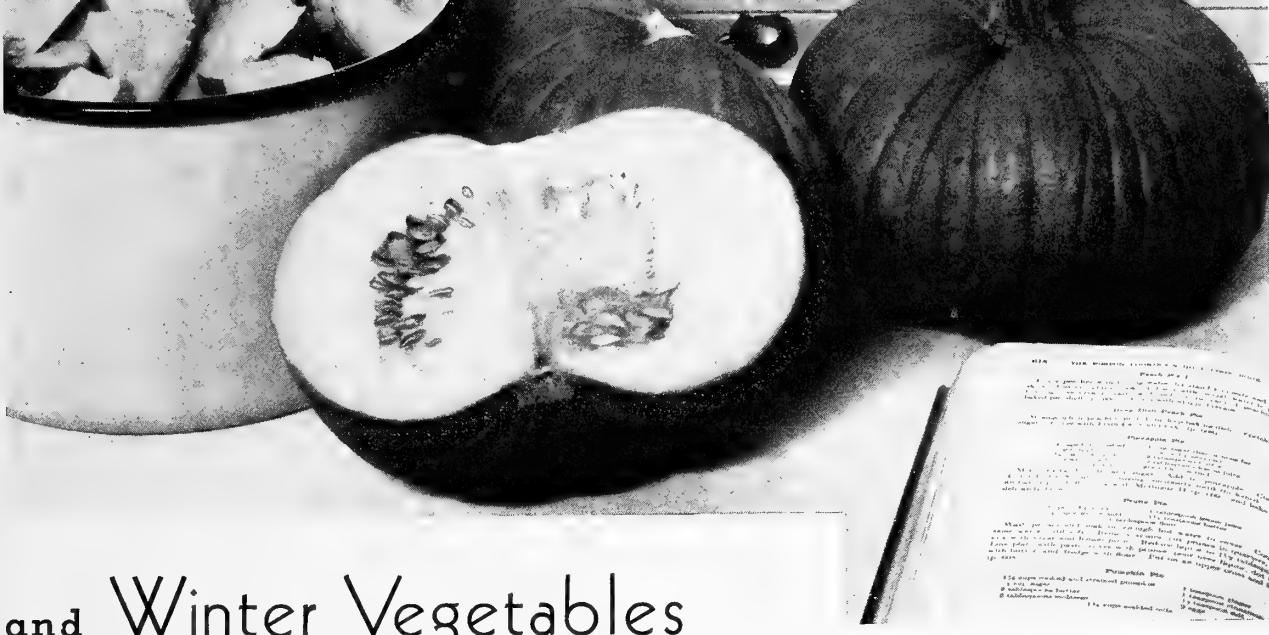
Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**RED CHILI** Short bushy plants are literally covered with small tapering peppers about 2 inches long. They change to bright red when ripe and are very hot. They are dried, ground, and chiefly used for making pepper sauce.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.10.

There is no better sweet pepper for stuffing or for salads than California Wonder.  
The thickness of the flesh is one of the reasons why.





## and Winter Vegetables you like

### PARSNIP

Parsnips grow best in a loose, rich sandy loam, but will make good roots in any soil that is reasonably rich and deep. Stony soil and raw manure are likely to produce branched or misshapen roots. The seed requires steady, abundant moisture for germination and should be sown as early as practicable. Sow in rows 2 to 2½ feet apart and when well up, thin to about 5 inches apart in the row. Keep the ground moist if possible. Parsnips are improved by freezing, and a portion of the crop can be left in the ground all winter to be used as a spring vegetable when the ground has thawed.

**GUERNSEY** Roots 15 to 18 inches long; hollow crowned; 2½ to 3 inches thick at shoulder; tapered uniformly to tip; smooth.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**HOLLOW CROWN, Thick Shoulder.** This is the best and most popular variety in cultivation. The skin is smooth and white, while the flesh is tender. The roots grow 18 to 20 inches in length, but the first 8 inches from the top is the best part.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**LONG SMOOTH** A hardy sort that will keep through the winter without protection. The long roots are smooth, white, tender, and of excellent flavor. It is popular for table use and is also suitable for stock feeding.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**SHORT THICK** This little parsnip makes a fine garden vegetable. The tops are only about half the size of Hollow Crown. The roots are short and thick, having a diameter of 2½ to 3½ inches and a length of only 6 or 8 inches at the thickened part. Fully a month earlier than Hollow Crown, it often reaches full size in 100 days from planting time.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 60c; lb. \$1.50.

### PUMPKIN

Pumpkins are typically American, and pumpkin pie is one of our truly American dishes. They are less sensitive to unfavorable conditions of soil and weather than melons or cucumbers, but they are cultivated in about the same way.

**CALIFORNIA FIELD** Mostly used for stock feeding. The pumpkin is variously colored, yellow, drab, red, and orange; it varies also in size, but is usually very large. It is a heavy cropper and matures early.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. 80c.

There is great satisfaction in raising one's own pumpkins for pies. This is Sugar or New England Pie.

**GREEN STRIPED CUSHAW** Popular in the South. The crook-necked pumpkins are 18 to 20 inches long and weigh 10 to 15 pounds. The color is creamy-white striped with green. The flesh is light yellow, very thick, rather coarse but sweet.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 40c; lb. \$1.00.

**LARGE YELLOW or CONNECTICUT FIELD** This sort is grown largely in the corn field for stock, but the flesh is moderately fine grained, highly flavored, and very good for pies. The fruits weigh about 20 pounds and are a rich deep orange-yellow color.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. 80c.

**MAMMOTH KING** The largest pumpkin ever introduced. It has been known to yield 100 tons to the acre. The fruit is flat-round, yellow skinned, with very thick flesh.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**MORSE'S MARROW** Pumpkins of this variety weighing 150 pounds are not uncommon. They are round, flat, and red-orange in color. The flesh is thick, solid, and bright-yellow orange.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c; lb. \$1.10.

**PIE or WINTER LUXURY** This variety is very popular for the home garden. The fruit matures in 75 to 80 days, weighs 8½ pounds, and is nearly round. The skin is light yellow with a russet tinge and finely netted; the flesh is rich creamy-yellow, very thick, sweet, and finely flavored.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 45c; lb. \$1.10.

**SUGAR or NEW ENGLAND PIE** These pumpkins are also just the right size for home use. The fruits weigh about 7 pounds and are produced abundantly, maturing in 75 days. The skin is light yellow tinged with russet; the flesh is rich orange, thick, sweet, and finely flavored. They keep very well.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. 90c.

**SWEET CHEESE or KENTUCKY FIELD** Standard large pumpkin for canning and for stock feed; largely grown in the South. Our stock is uniform, true to type, dependably early, and heavily productive. Fruits very large, flattened, commonly 12 to 15 inches in diameter and half as deep; sometimes much larger; furrowed; skin creamy-buff; flesh extremely thick, deep salmon-yellow, and of good quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; lb. 90c.

# Radishes must grow quickly to be Crisp,

## RADISH

The culture of radishes is so easy and the results so sure that they are probably found in more home gardens than any other vegetable. The varieties of radish differ so distinctly that the home gardener is able to obtain almost anything he prefers in the way of shape, color, size, and season.

The ground for growing radishes should be finely prepared and as free as possible of small stones and lumps. Plant seed about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch deep in rows 12 to 18 inches apart, and when up about an inch thin to 1 or 2 inches apart. Radishes are at their best when growth is quick and steady. A moderate temperature and constant moisture are favorable for best results. Most varieties become pithy soon after reaching full size. In order to keep a continuous supply, successive plantings should be made.

**CINCINNATI MARKET** Popular home and market garden radish. Tops short and small. Roots 6 to 7 inches long,  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch thick; cylindrical, tapered near tip; deep red with purplish tinge; flesh white, mild, crisp. Superior to Long Scarlet. Ready in 29 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**CRIMSON GIANT** The home gardener who desires a radish of more than two bites will find this to his liking. The crimson roots are the largest of the early round radishes. They do not become fully grown until nearly 2 inches in diameter, but are very good while much smaller. The flesh is as crisp and mild as any of the smaller varieties, and they remain in perfect condition for several days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

### Remember!

• • • **FERRY'S Vegetable Seeds**  
are only five cents a packet, and  
they're always fresh and dated.

**EARLY SCARLET GLOBE** The bright carmine-red color, perfect oval shape, thread-like tap-root, and ideal size combine to make this the most desirable of early table radishes. Until they are nearly an inch in diameter, the flesh is crisp and mild. They will reach this size in 25 to 30 days and are at their best when not quite full grown.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**EARLY WHITE GIANT SUMMER or STUTTGART** Standard summer radish for home and market. Tops medium large and coarse. Roots roundish top shape; white and smooth; remain crisp and only mildly pungent until 3 to 4 inches long; can be stored successfully for early winter use. 43 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.10.

**FRENCH BREAKFAST** Excellent home and market garden sort; also suitable for forcing. Tops small. Roots oblong, blunt, with slender well-defined tap-root; about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches long and  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch through; rich scarlet with white bottom; flesh white, crisp, and of splendid quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**ICICLE** Clear white roots which grow to a length of 6 inches with a third of their length out of the ground are delicately tinted with ivory at the tops. They are undoubtedly the most crisp and tender of all table radishes and are especially mild. This variety is a home garden favorite.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**LONG SCARLET** The bright carmine-red roots have a smooth tenderskin and mild crisp flesh. They are 6 inches long when in prime condition and remain firm and tender for several days. The upper third of the root grows above ground, which makes pulling easy.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**SCARLET TURNIP** This is popular for early planting in the home garden. The roots make quick growth and become an inch in diameter in 25 to 30 days. They are entirely crimson-red in color with very small tap-roots and are of the best quality in flesh and flavor.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**SCARLET TURNIP, WHITE TIPPED**

These radishes taste as good as they look. The upper part of the root is rich crimson-red, and the lower part is snow white, making an attractive combination. The roots grow to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter without becoming pithy.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**SPARKLER** Similar to early Scarlet Turnip, White Tipped, but with more pronounced white area. Tops small. Roots deep turnip, almost globe-shape; bright scarlet with pronounced white tip. Popular for home and market garden. 25 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; lb. \$1.00.

**WHITE STRASBURG** Good summer radish for home and market garden. Roots commonly become 5 inches long,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 inches in diameter at the shoulder; tapered; smooth; white; flesh firm, crisp, mildly pungent. 40 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.10.



Early Scarlet Globe and Icicle make an interesting color combination.  
Get seed of both when you're ready to plant radishes.

# Tender and Good

## WINTER VARIETIES

This class requires a longer growing season than the early table varieties, and seeds are usually planted in midsummer for fall and winter use. The roots keep well if stored in a cold place.

**CHINESE ROSE WINTER (Scarlet China)** Distinct shape and deep rose-red color make this radish very attractive. The roots when mature are usually 4 to 5 inches long, broadest at base, with very pronounced stump root and small tap-root. The flesh is white, fine grained, crisp, and mildly pungent.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.10.

**CHINESE WHITE WINTER (Celestial)** A clear white variety of symmetrical shape and large size. The length is from 6 to 9 inches, and the width 2 1/2 to 3 inches. The root is slightly oval with blunt base and comparatively small tap-root. It is clear white throughout and not so pungent as other winter varieties.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 40c; lb. \$1.10.

**HALF LONG BLACK WINTER** The roots of this variety are nearly cylindrical for 2/3 of their length and taper to a rather large tap-root. They are 4 or 5 inches long and 2 inches in diameter when full grown. The slightly coarse grained skin is dull grayish-black in color, but the flesh is clear white, well flavored and pungent. This will keep better than other winter varieties.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**LONG BLACK SPANISH** Splendid keeper. Roots 8 to 9 inches long, 2 to 2 1/4 inches in diameter at shoulder and only slightly tapered; skin somewhat roughened; black; flesh white, very firm and crisp, pungent. 55 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**ROUND BLACK SPANISH** Roots globular with slender well-defined tap-root; 3 1/2 to 4 inches in diameter; skin somewhat roughened, black; flesh white, firm, crisp, and pungent. 55 days. Keeps well.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

## RHUBARB

Rhubarb plants grown from seed will not all come true, but growing them this way costs less, and the undesirable plants can be discarded. They are quickly and easily grown. Sow seed in rows an inch deep and thin the plants to 6 inches apart. In the fall transplant to a permanent location, setting the plants 3 or 4 feet apart. The stalks should not be taken for use the first year.

In planting from roots, set them so that the crowns are 2 inches under the surface of the soil. They should be set 3 to 6 feet apart and given a liberal dressing of manure each spring. When blossom stalks appear, they should be cut well back to the ground. If possible choose a place where the soil will be continuously moist.

**CRIMSON WINTER** A long bearing sort of very fine flavor. The seed produces small crimson stems that are tender and sweet.

Pkt. 5c; oz. \$1.00; 2 oz. \$1.50; 1/4 lb. \$2.50.

**VICTORIA** An excellent and hardy sort for the home garden. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 2 oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**RHUBARB ROOTS (Victoria)** If one is to be certain of a pure strain of rhubarb, he should plant roots. Set in the spring, they furnish delicious stalks the following spring.

Each 25c; 5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.80, postpaid in U. S. A.

A little vinegar in the water when cleaning and cooking vegetable oyster roots will keep them from turning black.



## ROQUETTE

When young, the leaves of this hardy annual are used like mustard for salads. They resemble those of the radish but are smoother in texture. The young leaves are ready for cutting in about 6 weeks, when the plants are 8 to 10 inches high. In early spring sow the seed in shallow rows about 16 inches apart, and for succession sow every few weeks thereafter. Water freely.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.

## SALSIFY VEGETABLE OYSTER

The roots of this vegetable are appetizing and nutritious, and the flavor is like that of oysters. Salsify succeeds best in a light, well-enriched soil, which should be stirred to a good depth. Coarse and fresh manure should be avoided, as it will cause the roots to become irregular and branched. Sow early and quite deep, giving the general culture recommended for parsnip.

**MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND** Large and strong growing with long, smooth, white, tapering roots less likely to branch than those of other sorts.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

## SORREL

Improved varieties of sorrel when well grown and cooked like spinach make a palatable dish. Sow in rows early in spring and thin the seedlings to 6 or 8 inches apart in the row. Cutting may begin in about 2 months, and the plants will continue in full bearing from 3 to 4 years.

**LARGE LEAVED FRENCH** The best garden variety, having large, pale green leaves of fine quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

# Spinach and Squash are high in Vitamins

## SPINACH

The increasing popularity of spinach has led plant breeders to work for improvement in varieties. They have succeeded so well that those now grown are larger in leaf, more succulent, and remain in prime condition a much longer time.

Sow in rows 16 to 20 inches apart and thin to 6 inches apart in the row when leaves are an inch wide. In the North, seed can be planted as soon as the ground can be prepared. In the South, spinach will winter over with little or no protection.

**BROAD FLANDERS** A home and market garden spinach; well adapted for canning. Plants large and vigorous; leaves deep green, broad and thick; smooth.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 50c.

**GIANT THICK LEAVED (Nobel)** The seed of this thick leaved variety produces the largest spinach. They grow rapidly and remain in good condition a long time. The medium-green leaves are large, rounded, slightly crumpled, succulent, and tender. It is an excellent home garden spinach.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 50c.

**JULIANA** This variety is somewhat slower growing than others, but it is very long standing. It is ideal to plant for succession with an earlier sort. The leaves are medium size and much blistered; the color is rich deep green. Stems are short, and the plants make compact growth.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 50c.

**KING OF DENMARK** Intermediate between the smooth-leaved and blistered types. The leaves are large and medium dark green in color. The plants are low growing and quickly produce a heavy crop which remains in condition from one to two weeks. A very satisfactory spinach for the home garden.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 50c.

**LONG STANDING BLOOMSDALE** This spinach remains a long time in condition without bolting to seed even in hot dry weather. The compact erect plants have crumpled, rounded, large, thick leaves of dark green. It matures with the second early class and proves very desirable in planting for succession.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 50c.

**PRICKLY SEEDED (Dark Green)** This hardy spinach, adapted to fall planting where winters are mild, is popular among California gardeners. It is also satisfactory for spring planting in home gardens of colder climates. The plant is large, with many rounded thick dark green leaves.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 50c.

**SAVOY LEAVED or BLOOMSDALE** The standard very early sort for home and market garden. Plants upright and compact, attain height of 10 to 12 inches and a spread of 12 to 15 inches. Leaves large; blistered and crumpled; rich deep, glossy green; of splendid quality.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 50c.

**VIRGINIA SAVOY (Blight Resistant)** Similar to Savoy Leaved or Bloomsdale but smoother in leaf and inclined to bolt to seed earlier. Used chiefly in sections where blight (mosaic) occurs. Not recommended for planting where other varieties can be successfully grown.

Pkt. 5c; 1/4 lb. 15c; lb. 50c.

**NEW ZEALAND (Tetragonia)** Although not a true spinach, the leaves look like spinach and are very useful as greens. On soil too poor to grow spinach successfully, the plants thrive and produce groups of small fleshy leaves that are tender and delicious when cooked. Each branch of the plant produces others, so that it goes on providing a continuous supply of greens throughout the summer.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. 90c.

## SQUASH

Because of differences in character and habits of growth, there are two kinds of squash. They are generally known as "summer" and "winter" squashes. The culture of this vegetable is about the same as that of pumpkins and melons. The winter or trailing varieties require as much room as pumpkins, while the summer or bush squashes take about the same space as cucumbers.

### SUMMER VARIETIES

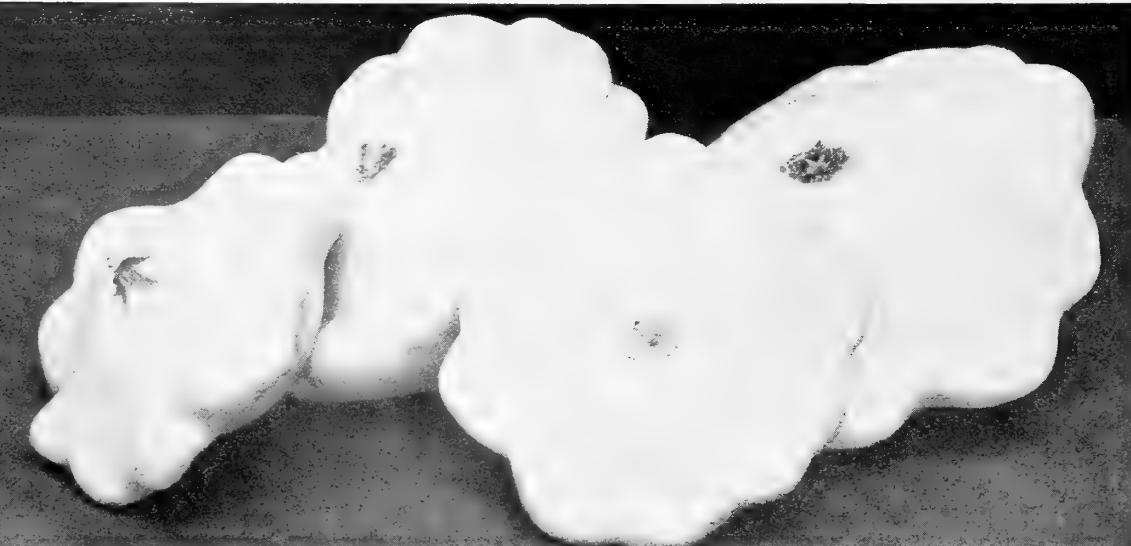
Unlike the winter squashes, these are suitable for use only when young; they are practically worthless for cooking after the shell begins to harden. They are an excellent vegetable in summer and very early autumn.

**EARLY WHITE BUSH SCALLOP (Patty Pan)** The plant is bushy and bears creamy-white patty-shaped fruits, scalloped on the edges. The flesh is milk-white, firm, smooth, and richly flavored. This is the most popular of white summer squashes for home garden use.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**EARLY BUSH SCALLOP, Green Type (Benning's)** A valuable Bush selection rapidly gaining popularity on the West Coast. Fruits of convenient size for shipping; color greenish white when young; creamy yellow when fully matured.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 60c; lb. \$1.75.



Patty Pan Squash vines (Early White Bush Scallop) do not take up much room in a small garden. These squashes are most appetizing when picked very young and cooked with the skins on.



This is Delicious—one of the finest flavored of the winter Squashes.

**EARLY YELLOW BUSH SCALLOP** Fruits very attractive deep orange; smooth; round and thick, but flat, with scalloped margin.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**GIANT SUMMER STRAIGHTNECK** The convenient straight shape of this squash makes it superior to the old crookneck. However, it has the warty, creamy-gold skin, the large size, the fine quality, and the earliness of the parent squash. Plants bushy, vigorous growing, and productive.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**ITALIAN MARROW, COCOZELLE** Grows to a length of 6 or 8 inches in about 65 days. At this size, the fruit is in prime condition for eating. Dark green, becoming marbled with yellow and light green as it matures. The flesh is pale green, thick, firm, tender, and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**ITALIAN MARROW, DARK GREEN ZUCCHINI** In some localities this is considered more desirable than the older type which it resembles in all respects except color. Fruits smooth, cylindrical, rich dark green. Shows no striping or mottling.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c; lb. \$2.25.

**ITALIAN MARROW, ZUCCHINI** Except in color which is light green with grayish mottling, this variety is similar to Cocozelle. The plant is prolific, bearing a tender and mildly flavored fruit.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**MAMMOTH SUMMER CROOKNECK** Home, market garden, and shipping squash. Fruits become very large, 18 to 24 inches long,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches through; neck curved; skin rich orange-yellow, warted.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**SUMMER CROOKNECK** Very early, 60 to 65 days. The bushy plant is very productive of attractive fruits, weighing about 2 pounds. The skin is distinctly warted and bears a bright yellow color, while the flesh is pale cream, firm, and tender. A very good sort for home planting.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.50.

## WINTER VARIETIES

**BANANA** Excellent winter squash. Fruit commonly 18 to 24 inches long and about 7 inches in diameter. Skin gray-blue and not so hard as that of the Hubbards. Flesh fine grained, deep yellow, dry, sweet. Keeps well.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**BLUE HUBBARD** Form and general characteristics similar to the original type of Hubbard but with blue-gray shell. Flesh yellow-orange, thick and fine grained.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**BOSTON MARROW** Large fruits, weighing 12 to 17 pounds, matures late, 120 days. They are irregularly oval with a hard, orange skin. The fine grained, salmon-yellow flesh is fine flavored and keeps well. Extensively used as a substitute for pie pumpkin.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**DELICIOUS** The 8 to 10 pound fruits are heart-shaped and dark green. The bright yellow flesh is thick, firm, and fine grained. In quality it is dry, sweet, and richly flavored. It ripens in about 103 days and keeps well.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**GOLDEN DELICIOUS** This variety has proved valuable for canners because of the high starch content and the bright red-orange color of the exterior. In shape, size, and season it is practically the same as the original Delicious.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**GOLDEN HUBBARD** Ripens in 100 to 105 days and keeps splendidly because the hard rind protects the thick fine grained flesh. Flesh sweet, dry, and deep orange in color.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**HUBBARD** This variety is the most widely grown of any winter squash. The 12 to 14 pound fruits, perfected in 100 to 110 days, are round and warted and very dark green. The thick bright yellow flesh is fine grained and rich.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

**TABLE QUEEN or DES MOINES** Convenient for baking and serving in halves. It weighs only about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  pounds and is acorn-shaped, deeply furrowed, and dark green on the outside. The flesh is rich yellow, dry and mealy, and of delicious flavor. Matures in about 100 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**WARTED HUBBARD** Slightly larger than true Hubbard. Color very dark green; shell heavily warted. Flesh deep orange, dry, fine grained, and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$1.60.

# The Pride of your garden and table—

## SUNFLOWER

**MAMMOTH RUSSIAN** Giant sized heads, 12 to 20 inches in diameter, are ordinarily borne by this variety, and 1000 pounds of seed to the acre is not an unusual crop. The seed is of very good quality for poultry feeding. Soil and cultural requirements are like those of corn. (For decorative Sunflower, see page 81.)

Pkt. 5c; lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid in U. S. A.

## SWISS CHARD

(See page 14)

## TOBACCO

Seed should be sown as early as possible after danger of frost is past. In the spring burn a quantity of brush and rubbish on the ground intended for the seed bed; then dig and pulverize the earth and mix with the ashes, after which the seed may be sown and covered very lightly. When the plants are about 6 inches high, transplant into rows, 4 or 4½ feet apart each way. Cultivate thoroughly with plow and hoe.

**CONNECTICUT SEED LEAF** A hardy cigar variety, well adapted to growing in the Middle and Northern States.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 45c.

**HAVANA** The leaf is very thin and of fine texture. The variety is much used for cigar wrappers.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 45c.

**WHITE BURLEY** (Root rot resistant) A favorite for plug fillers and wrappers.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 45c.

## TOMATO

Everyone should reserve a part of the garden for tomatoes so that the family can have a fresh supply during a long season. No other cultivated plant bears so long and so productively, and no other fruit carries greater health-bringing elements. At our Experimental Gardens near Detroit, tomato seed is usually planted indoors about May 1st. We use shallow boxes or "flats" and plant in rows about 2 inches apart. As soon as the seedlings are about an inch tall, they are "pricked out" into a larger box and spaced about 4 inches apart. Rich loose soil should be used. When the weather has moderated, the plants should gradually be hardened off to the temperature outside. This can be done in a warm sheltered spot where they can be protected at night and in case of frost. About 6 weeks after seed is sown, the plants are ready for their permanent location. By taking note of the probable date of the last killing frost in spring in his own locality, every gardener can determine approximately the best time for transplanting to his garden. See page 2.

**AVON EARLY** A superior variety of the Earliana class for home garden and early market. Fruits uniform, deep scarlet-red; medium sized; almost globular; smooth; flesh solid. 66 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 2 oz. 90c; ¼ lb. \$1.60.

**BONNY BEST** Unexcelled as a general purpose tomato; particularly valuable for forcing under glass and as a canning variety in Northern sections. Fruits evenly colored bright deep scarlet-red; medium large; flattened globe-shape; smooth and firm. 73 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 2 oz. 90c; ¼ lb. \$1.60.

**BREAK O' DAY** Wilt resistant. Vines vigorous, but of open growth, and very productive. An early scarlet fruited variety of medium to large size and true globe-shape. Our own strain reselected from the original. 73 to 75 days.

Pkt. 5c; pkts. only.

**CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL** Very thrifty, heavily productive. Fruits scarlet-red; large; flattened globe-shape; smooth and firm. 75 days. Splendid for home and market garden.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 2 oz. 90c; ¼ lb. \$1.60.

**COOPER'S SPECIAL** 78 days. Particularly valuable for early shipping. Plants semi-dwarf. Fruits purplish-pink; medium size; globe-shaped; flesh solid. Matures in 78 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00;  
¼ lb. \$1.75.

**DWARF CHAMPION** Strictly dwarf and tree-like; requires no training for culture where space is limited. Fruits purplish-pink; flattened globe-shape; medium size. 78 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00;  
¼ lb. \$1.75.

**DWARF STONE** Fruits bright red, flattened globe-shape, a trifle over medium size. Vines similar to those of Dwarf Champion. 81 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$1.75.

**EARLIANA** Particularly valuable for home garden and early market. Superior in earliness and quality. Fruits medium size; flattened globe-shape; deep scarlet-red; firm and smooth. 64 to 66 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 55c; 2 oz. 90c; ¼ lb. \$1.60.

**EARLY DETROIT** Very valuable for shipping. Fruits rich purplish-pink; large; globular; smooth and firm. 78 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$1.75.

**GLOBE** (Livingston's) Valuable for shipping. Heavily productive. Fruits purplish-pink; large; globe-shaped; smooth and solid. 81 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$2.00.

**GOLDEN QUEEN** 83 days. The best large yellow tomato. Fruits large; deep, but flattened; bright golden-yellow; firm, smooth, and attractive.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$1.75.

**GREATER BALTIMORE** Similar to Stone and particularly valuable for canning. Heavily productive. Fruits deep scarlet-red, large, commonly weigh 6 ounces; deep, but flat; smooth; very firm and solid. Matures in 83 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 2 oz. 90c; ¼ lb. \$1.60.

**GROTHEN'S GLOBE** A new, early maturing wilt resistant variety which is becoming popular in some sections for shipping. Similar to Break O' Day, but the fruits are of deeper scarlet color and are free from objectionable yellow color about the stem end.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 85c; 2 oz. \$1.65;  
¼ lb. \$3.00.

### Did You Know

▲ ▲ ▲ that FERRY-MORSE tomatoes are outstandingly uniform in size and quality because of special care in selection and breeding?

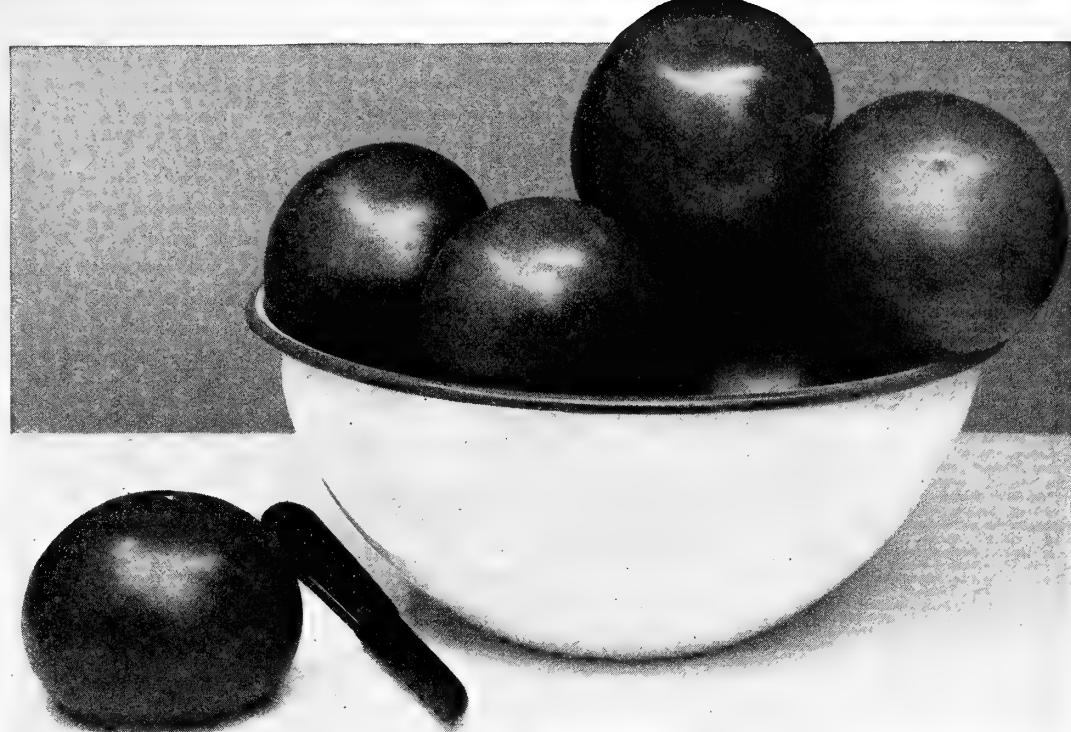
# Home Grown Tomatoes

Earliana is one of the choice early varieties of tomatoes for home gardeners to grow.

## GULF STATE MARKET 77 days.

Particularly valuable for shipping. Fruits purplish-pink; large and of uniform size; globe-shaped; smooth and firm.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c;  
2 oz. \$1.00;  
1/4 lb. \$1.75.



**JOHN BAER** Similar in every respect to Bonny Best, but often a few days earlier. Fruits bright deep scarlet-red; medium large; flattened globe-shape; smooth and firm. 71 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c;  
2 oz. 90c;  
1/4 lb. \$1.60.

**JUNE PINK** The best extra early purplish-pink variety. Similar to Earliana in every way except color. 65 to 68 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

**MARGLOBE** The best general purpose tomato recently introduced; excellent home garden variety and particularly valuable for shipping; definite disease resistance recommends this variety for use in sections infested with Fusarium Wilt and Nail-head Rust. Plants thrifty and heavily productive and of long-bearing period. Fruits uniform deep scarlet; large; uniformly globe-shaped; smooth, solid, and of distinct quality.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

**MICHIGAN STATE FORCING** Recently developed at Michigan State College especially for greenhouse growing. High productivity under restricted daylight conditions. Attractive medium-sized fruits, of rich deep scarlet and free from blemishes, are borne in clusters of five to eleven. Flesh thick and firm. We believe this is one of the best forcing tomatoes yet introduced.

Pkts. 50c each; pkts. only.

**OX HEART** A late large fruited variety of distinct appearance and perfect quality. Heart-shaped, rosy pink, and very solid fleshed, with few seeds. Single fruits often weigh 2 pounds or more. Mildly acid and of pleasing flavor. Home gardeners have given this new variety an enthusiastic reception. 85 to 90 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. \$1.50.

**MONTEREY** (Also known as Beefsteak) One of the best for home use. Fruits deep purplish-pink; extremely large, commonly 9 to 12 ounces each; deep, but flat; very fleshy with few seeds; of very mild flavor; matures in 85 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 2 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$2.00.

**PRITCHARD (Scarlet Topper)** Wilt resistant, of the type of plant known as self-topping or self-pruning. Midseason to late and a heavy cropper. Fruits globe-shaped, deep scarlet, smooth and solid. A good home and market variety and very popular for shipping. 80 to 85 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

**SUPREME MARGLOBE** As a result of our breeding work, this strain shows vast improvement over the original Marglobe in size and uniformity of fruits. We recommend it without reservation as the finest stock of this variety of tomato. (See color photograph on back cover.)

Pkt. 5c; oz. \$1.50; 2 oz. \$2.50; 1/4 lb. \$4.00.

## SUPREME GULF STATE MARKET (Our own introduction.)

A superb strain of this pink fruited variety of tomato. The seed we offer was grown on our Oakview Stock Seed Farm under direct supervision of our tomato breeding experts. Specially bred for large size, splendid color, and abundant fruits.

Pkt. 5c; oz. \$1.50; 2 oz. \$2.50; 1/4 lb. \$4.00.

**STONE** Valuable for the market gardener, trucker, and canner. Heavily productive. Fruits bright deep scarlet; large and flat, but deep; smooth and solid. 85 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 45c; 2 oz. 90c; 1/4 lb. \$1.60.

## For Preserves, Pickles, and Decorative Purposes.

### RED CHERRY

Fruits small, round; rich deep red.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

### RED PEAR

Fruits 2 inches long; pear-formed.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

### YELLOW PEAR

Fruits 2 inches long; pear-formed.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

### YELLOW PLUM

Fruits oval, 2 inches long; clear deep yellow.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

### YELLOW HUSK OR GROUND CHERRY

(Not a true tomato.) Fruits borne singly; small, round; enclosed in papery envelope; of rich sweet flavor.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 2 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

# Tender Turnips for your Table

## TURNIP

For summer use, sow early in spring in rows  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 feet apart. Plant seed about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch deep and press the soil down firmly and smoothly. When the seedlings appear, apply tobacco dust liberally to prevent injury by flea-beetles and root maggots. As soon as the plants are about an inch tall, thinning should be started and carried on as recommended for beets. For fall and winter use the seed may be planted as late as August.

**COW HORN or LONG WHITE** Chiefly grown for stock feed, but very good for table use. Tops fairly large, erect, cut-leaved. Roots 12 to 15 inches long; 3 inches thick at shoulder, tapered, slightly crooked; smooth; white with pale green shoulder; mild, sweet, and tender. Becomes table size in 65 days; full size in 75 to 80 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

**EARLY PURPLE TOP, STRAP LEAVED** Very important home and market garden turnip. Tops small, erect, compact. Roots flat; becoming 5 inches in diameter and half as thick; purplish-red above and white below; flesh clear white, fine grained, mild. Reaches table size in 45 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

**EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH, STRAP LEAVED** Tops small, erect, compact. Roots flat; become 5 inches in diameter and half as thick; entirely white; flesh fine grained and mild. Good home and market garden variety, reaching table size in 45 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

**EXTRA EARLY PURPLE TOP MILAN** Table size, 40 days. Standard for home and market garden and for forcing. Tops small; strap leaved. Roots flat; become 4 inches across; purplish-red above, white below; flesh white, fine grained, mild and tender.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 85c.

**EXTRA EARLY WHITE MILAN** Entirely white; in all other respects the same as Extra Early Purple Top Milan.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 85c.

**LARGE WHITE NORFOLK** Chiefly grown for stock feed, but the young roots are good for table use. Tops large, cut-leaved. Roots large, globular; 4 to 5 inches in diameter or greater; entirely white; firm, moderately coarse in texture. Also known as Pomeranian White Globe. Becomes full size in 75 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

**PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE** Table size, 55 days; full size 70 days. The standard home, market garden, and shipping sort for table use; it is also good for field culture. Tops medium large, compact, cut-leaved. Roots globular, smooth; bright purplish-red above, white below; become 5 to 6 inches in diameter; flesh white, firm; fine grained and tender when young.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

**SEVEN TOP, FOR TURNIP GREENS** Standard extremely hardy foliage turnip for table and forage use. Root woody and inedible; crown sends up numerous leafy shoots which are excellent for greens and for stock to graze on.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

**SHOGOIN OR JAPANESE** A new, extremely useful sort. It is quick growing and supplies large edible strap leaves as well as smooth globular roots of superior quality. Already popular as a dual purpose variety.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 85c.

**SNOWBALL** A very attractive medium size turnip of outstanding quality. Roots round; clear white both exterior and interior. Flesh fine grained, sweet and tender. Reaches table size in about 40 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

**SOUTHERN PRIZE** Splendid foliage turnip which produces an abundance of leaves for greens and forage as well as a large, top-shaped, fleshy white root.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

**WHITE EGG** Splendid for home and market garden. Tops erect, fairly compact; cut-leaved. Roots white, smooth; grow one-half above ground, egg-shaped, become 3 inches long and  $2\frac{1}{4}$  inches through; flesh white, firm, fine grained, sweet and tender. Table size, 55 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 75c.

## YELLOW FLESHED VARIETIES

**AMBER GLOBE** Large roots, 75 to 80 days. Of good quality, but chiefly grown for stock. Tops green, leaves cut. Roots large; become 5 to 6 inches in diameter; globular, smooth, yellow tinged with green at the top; flesh pale yellowish-white, fine grained, sweet and tender.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 80c.

**ORANGE JELLY OR GOLDEN BALL** Excellent for table use. Tops small, cut-leaved. Roots globular; commonly 4 inches in diameter; skin smooth, orange-yellow; flesh yellow, firm, fine grained, and of good quality. Reaches table size in 60 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 80c.

**PURPLE TOP YELLOW ABERDEEN** The best keeper and of high quality. Tops large, cut-leaved. Roots globular or slightly flattened; large, usually about 5 inches in diameter; smooth; upper part purplish-red, lower pale yellow; flesh pale yellow, firm, but sweet and tender. Becomes full size in 75 to 80 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 80c.

**YELLOW GLOBE** Keeps well and is generally grown for stock feed. Tops large, leaves cut. Roots globular; commonly 4 to 5 inches in diameter; smooth; light yellow; flesh pale yellow, crisp, firm, and of mild flavor. Full-sized in 75 to 80 days.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; lb. 80c.

## RUTABAGA or SWEDE

Rutabagas require a longer growing season than turnips and need more moisture. Seed may be sown from mid-June to mid-July in rows  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet apart. The culture is practically the same as for turnips except that the plants should be thinned to 8 or 10 inches apart in the rows.

When the roots are full grown, they should be pulled, topped, and stored in a cool cellar or pit for winter use. If kept cool and sufficiently moist to prevent withering, they will remain in prime condition all winter.

### AMERICAN PURPLE TOP or IMPROVED LONG ISLAND

One of the best rutabagas for both table use and stock feeding, owing to the selected small top and short neck, globe shape, and large size. It is of finest quality and keeps well.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**MONARCH OR TANKARD** A very good yellow fleshed sort with large tankard-shaped roots, relatively small necks, and small tops. The root above ground is purple-red; yellow below. The flesh is very solid, fine grained, and sweet.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**SWEET PERFECTION WHITE** While very good for stock feeding, this white fleshed rutabaga is especially desirable for table use. It is of vigorous growth and yields better than yellow varieties. Absolutely neckless, small topped, and fine grained.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

# Treat your Family to these Tasty dishes from Your Own Garden



Above—Crisp, refreshing leaves of Curled Endive (page 24) to be served with French Dressing.

Below—Chinese Cabbage, Chihli (page 20) and Ferry's Supreme Marglobe Tomato (see back cover) are being prepared for a delightful salad.

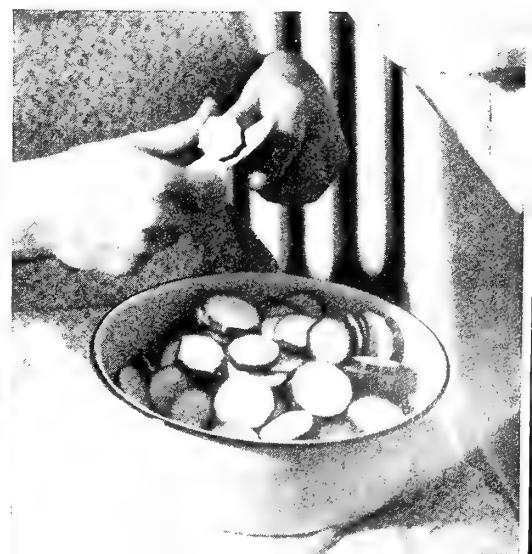
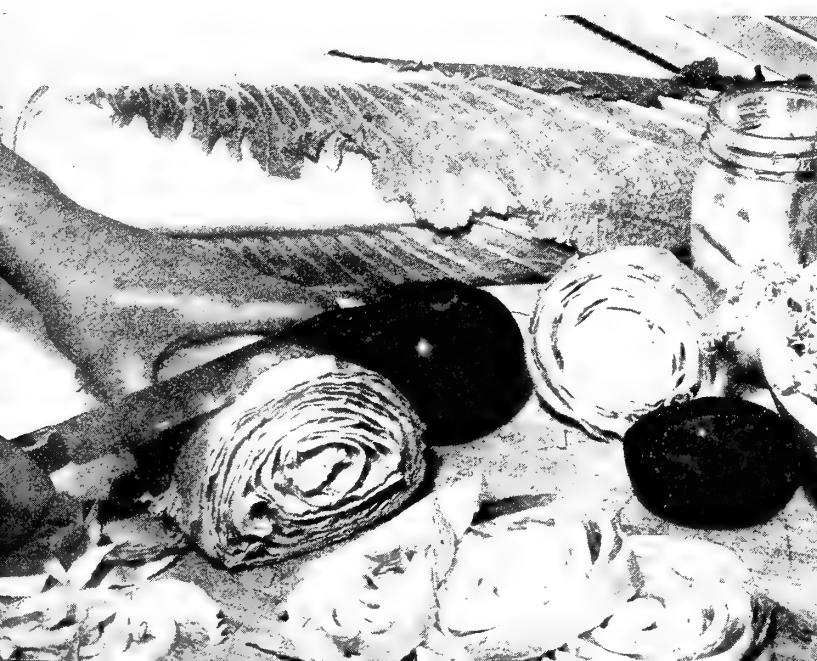


Above—The makings of piquant dill pickles—Chicago Pickling Cucumber (page 23) and Dill (page 46).

Below—Cucumber, Straight-8 (page 24), a superior slicing variety combines with other vegetables in an appetizing salad on tender leaves of Black Seeded Simpson Lettuce (page 28).



Young fruits of Italian Marrow Zucchini (page 41) are delicious when sliced with the skins on, boiled for a few minutes, and served with butter, salt and pepper.



# Set Aside a Corner



Of course you want to keep up with new ways of cooking! Then, you must have plenty of herbs to use. Very often, it is difficult to buy them. Besides, when you grow your own, you are sure of getting them fresh and full of flavor. Start a "kitchen garden" this year. A space 5 by 8 feet will grow all the herbs you need.

## (For Key to Symbols—See p. 51)

**ANISE** (*Pimpinella anisum*) [hA-14-16 in.] The fragrant, pleasant tasting seeds are used to flavor bread, cake, cookies, and candy. The green leaves are used in salads. Sow seed in a warm sunny spot in May. Cut off the umbels and dry the seeds in the shade as soon as they turn grayish.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**BALM** (*Melissa officinalis*) [hP-1½ ft.] The leaves have a lemony, minty fragrance and taste like lemon peel. A few sprigs placed in fruit drinks give them a delicious new flavor.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50.

**BASIL, SWEET** (*Ocimum basilicum*) [hA-1 ft.] A spicy taste, almost flower-like, makes this a popular flavoring herb in France and Italy. A good addition to green salads, to dishes containing tomato or cheese, to fruit drinks, and in soups with other herbs. The leaves are also dried for use. May be started indoors for earlier growth outside.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb. 90c.

**BORAGE** (*Borage officinalis*) [hA-12-18 in.] Grown both for bee pasturage and as a pot herb. Leaves and flowers give an unusual flavor to cold drinks and make a pretty garnish for salads. The blossoms are attractive as cut flowers.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 75c.

**CARAWAY** (*Carum carui*) [hB-1-2 ft.] The seeds are used to flavor bread, cake, cookies, cheeses, baked apples and other baked fruits. Planted one year, this herb will seed the next year, ripening in early summer.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c.

**CARAWAY SEED for Flavoring** For cooking use only, not for planting.  
1/4 lb. 30c.

**CORIANDER** (*Coriandrum sativum*) [hA-2-2½ ft.] This plant has agreeable tasting seeds which are used in confectionery and to disguise the taste of medicines. The seeds ripen in late July and should be picked before they begin to drop off.

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**DILL MAMMOTH** (*Anethum graveolens*) [hA-2-3 ft.] Famous for making "dill pickles." Both seeds and leaves are used. About 2½ months are necessary from seed time to harvest. The young plants should be thinned, but they do not transplant well.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 35c; lb. 90c.

**FENNEL, SWEET** (*Foeniculum officinale*) [hB-2-4 ft.] The fresh, tender stems of this herb may be eaten raw like celery, or in salads. The leaves add flavor to sauces and soups. The seeds have a pleasant taste and are used to flavor both candy and medicines. The plant likes a sunny location. Do not confuse with Florence Fennel, see page 25.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c.

**HOREHOUND** (*Marrubium vulgare*) [hP-1-3 ft.] The quality of this herb is better if the plants grow close together. The leaves and bitter, pungent juice of the flowering tops are used to flavor cough sirups and candies. The plant thrives almost anywhere, but seems to do best on poor light soil.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50.

**HYSSOP** (*Hyssopus officinalis*) [hP-1½ ft.] This herb gives a fine taste to honey. For that reason it is sometimes planted near bee hives. A tea from the leaves and flowers is given for chest diseases. Hyssop grows well from seed planted directly in the garden.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50.

Reading from top to bottom these herbs are:  
Anise, Dill, Basil, Marjoram, Fennel, Borage.

# for a little patch of Herbs

**LAVENDER** (*Lavandula spica*) [hP-2 ft.] More spreading and more shrubby than the true Lavender (*Lavandula vera*). The leaves are larger, too, and the fragrance a little stronger. Oil is distilled from the young tops and flower spikes to use in lavender water, perfumes, and soaps. The dried flowers scent linens; they should be picked when first open and dried quickly. The seed is rather slow to germinate. It may be started indoors. (See *Lavandula vera*, page 69.)

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50.

**MARJORAM, SWEET** (*Origanum majorana*) [tP—may be used as an annual] [20 in.-2 ft.] A special favorite with the Germans for seasoning poultry dressings. The young tender leaves are also good in salads and to flavor soups. For winter use, the leaves and stems are dried, rubbed to powder, and stored away in glass. This herb makes a pretty pot plant.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50.

**ROSEMARY** (*Rosmarinus officinalis*) [tP—may be used as an annual] [2-4 ft.] The fragrant odor and warm pungent taste of the leaves make this an acceptable seasoning for meats and soups. Start seed in the house so as to have plants large enough to use the first year. It does not need rich soil.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c; 1/4 lb. \$2.25.

**RUE** (*Ruta graveolens*) [hP-16 in.-2 ft.] One of the bitter herbs with an unpleasant odor. The leaves are acrid enough to blister the skin. Italians and Greeks use the leaves in salads and for seasoning—but sparingly. It is said to be good for a failing appetite.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50.

**SAFFRON** (*Carthamus tinctorius*) [hA-1-3 ft.] The yellow thistle-like flowers, picked while in full bloom, are used for coloring and flavoring.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00.

**SAGE, Broad Leaf** (*Salvia officinalis*) [hP-14-16 in.] An old favorite for use in meat and poultry dressings. It is an ornamental gray-leaved plant with blue flowers. Pick the leaves when about half-grown, dry, and powder them. Freshly dried sage is of far better flavor than old leaves, but it is strong and should be used with care.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50.

**SAVORY, Summer** (*Satureia hortensis*) [hA-8-10 in.] Leaves and flowering tops of this popular herb are put into dressings, are boiled with peas and snap beans, and are used fresh in salads with other herb flavorings. The seeds come up satisfactorily when planted outdoors in May.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb. 85c.

**THYME** (*Thymus vulgaris*) [hP-8-10 in.] This is used principally in combination with other herbs for seasoning. It has a delightful scent and a sharp, aromatic taste.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 70c; 1/4 lb. \$2.00.

**WORMWOOD** (*Artemesia absinthium*) [hP-3-5 ft.] Next to Rue this is the bitterest of all herbs. It is chiefly used in the manufacture of medicines.

Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c; 1/4 lb. \$1.75.

Sweet Basil	Sweet Marjoram	Borage	Sweet Fennel	Sage, Broad Leaf	Thyme	Summer Savory
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Planting Plan for a "Garden of Flavors" (Other herbs may be substituted)



And here are: Rue, Savory, Thyme, Anise, Horehound, and Hyssop.

# Bring New Beauty to

## RUST RESISTANT SNAPDRAGON (*Antirrhinum*)

Last year we introduced to you seed of Rust Resistant Snapdragon from stock secured at the University of California where it was first developed.

Since then, we have made great progress with these flowers at our own Breeding Stations, selecting them for separate colors and a high percentage of resistance.

We are happy to offer you the results of our work—beautiful new colors, fine flowers, and strong plants. And they are 100% resistant to rust! (See page 53.)  
Pkts. 25c each.

## DELPHINIUM *Summer Cloud*

A good white Delphinium has been a seed breeder's will-o'-the-wisp for years. Even now perfection has not been reached, but *Summer Cloud* closely approaches it. About 90% of the plants are true in color and they are nearly as vigorous as *Bella Donna*. *Summer Cloud* is particularly effective as a foil for the blues in Blackmore and Langdon Hybrids. (See page 61.) Pkt. 15c.



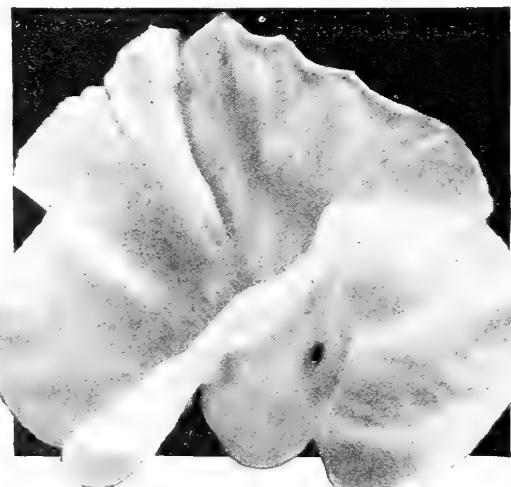
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This is Capri,  
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## CENTAUREA CYANUS Jubilee Gem (Bachelor Button)

This new English Cornflower should be very useful.

It is distinctly improved in form of plant — compact, tidy, and covered with large blue flowers. *Jubilee Gem* is splendid for beds, edgings, and for cutting (See page 59.)

Pkt. 25c.



Received an award of "Special All-America Selections."

## PETUNIA *Rose King Improved*

Visitors at the Ferry-Morse Trial Grounds, Salinas, California, have long been enthusiastic about this unusually fine Petunia which we are offering this year for the first time.

The clear rose-pink color is striking, and the large blossoms have pretty golden throats.

The branching plants stand erect, produce many flowers, and begin to bloom when only a few inches tall.

Among other splendid qualities, *Rose King Improved* makes an excellent cut flower. (See page 74.)

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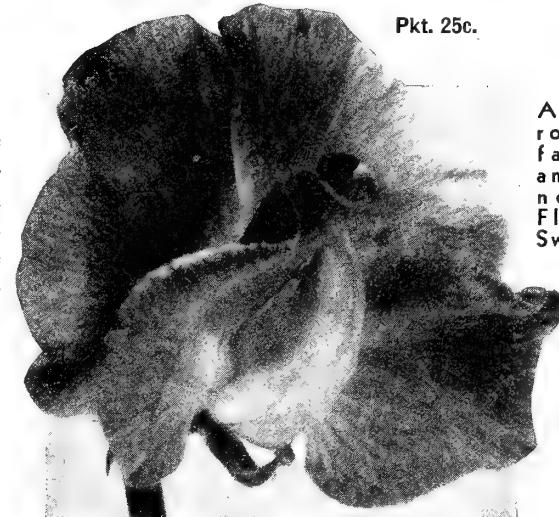
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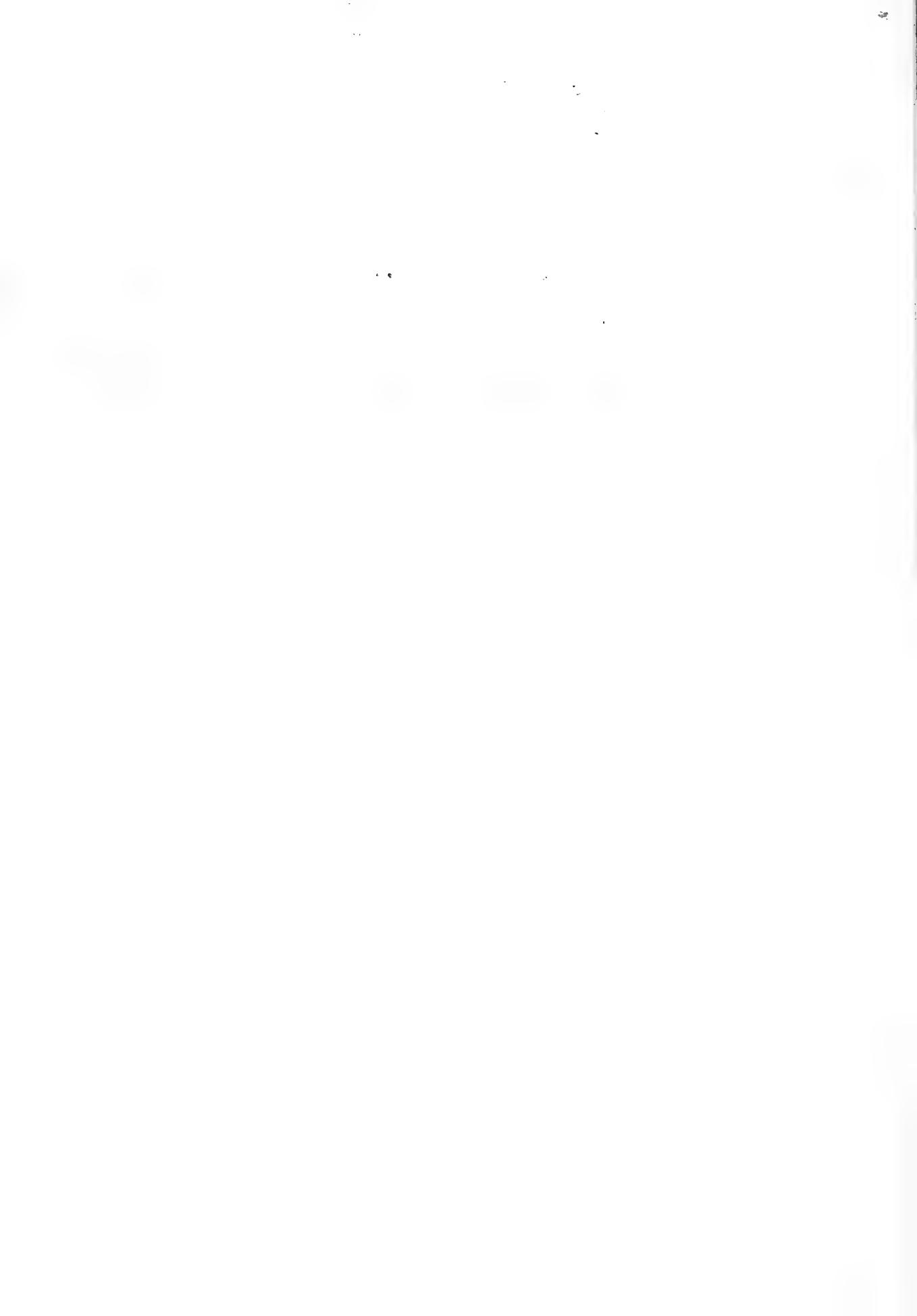
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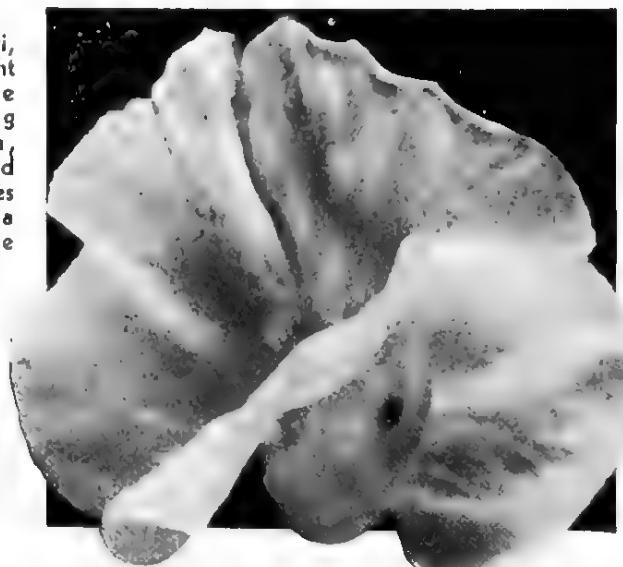
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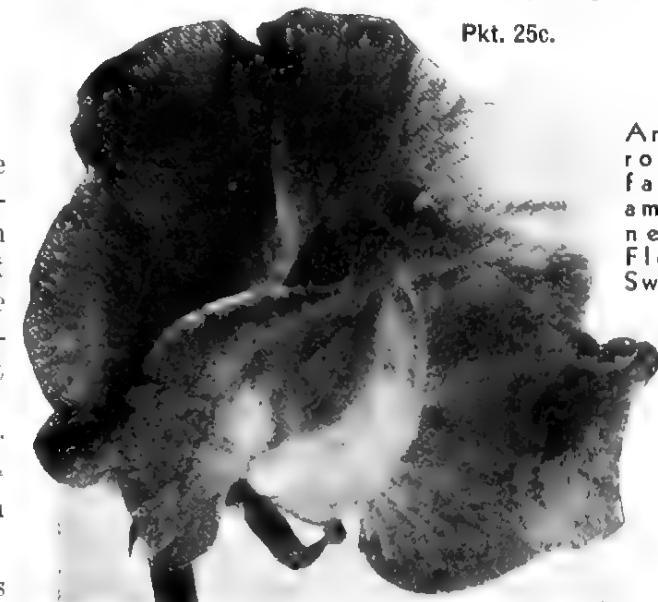
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The essentials of a beautiful lawn are: rich well drained soil; careful preparation of the ground, to make it fine and smooth and mellow; wise selection of seeds; sowing at a time when the young plants will have a chance to become well established before they are exposed to dry or cold weather or hot summer sunshine. Special care should be given to selection of grasses because some varieties are most luxuriant in spring, some in summer, others in autumn, and a combination of the proper sorts is necessary to insure a velvety carpet-like lawn.

Seed should be sown early in spring or in fall, at the rate of 1 pound to every 150 to 400 square feet, depending on variety. Make the surface fine and smooth by raking. In spring, sow the seed as early as possible, preferably just before a shower, as this will push the seed far enough into the ground to cover it sufficiently. In fall, sow before the autumn rains, early enough so that the young grass can become established before cold weather.

**ASTORIA BENT** (*Agrostis capillaris* var. *Astorianae*) A comparatively new and distinct grass; seldom produces stolons, but spreads from underground root stalks. Excellent for lawns and golf greens.

Lb. \$1.75; 10 lbs. \$15.00.

**CHEWING'S FESCUE** (*Festuca rubra fallax*) A New Zealand grown strain of Red Fescue. Adapted for forming close and lasting turf in shady places. Valuable also for exposed hillsides and golf courses.

Lb. \$1.00; 10 lbs. \$9.00.

**KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS** (*Poa pratensis*) The best hardy grass for lawn purposes. It forms a good turf, is permanent, and makes an ideal lawn. Well adapted to all soils.

Lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50.

**PERENNIAL RYE GRASS** (Pace's) (*Lolium perenne*) A tufted fine leaved grass much used in mild climates where it is really hardy. Valuable due to its very rapid growth.

Lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50.

**RED FESCUE** (*Festuca rubra*) Forms a close and lasting turf in shady places. Valuable also for exposed hillsides, and golf courses.

Lb. 90c; 10 Lbs. \$8.50.

**RED TOP** (Fancy) (*Agrostis palustris*) Well adapted to growing where extensive care cannot be given to the lawn. It reaches maximum development in early fall. Succeeds in all soils.

Lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**ROUGH STALKED MEADOW** (*Poa trivialis*) An excellent grass for shaded locations.

Lb. 60c; 10 lbs. \$5.50.

**SEASIDE BENT** (*Agrostis maritima*) A stoloniferous grass. Used principally for golf courses. Good color.

Lb. \$1.75; 10 lbs. \$15.00.

**WHITE DUTCH CLOVER** Valuable for lawns. It does well on all soils, especially where lime is present.

Lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50.

**FINE MIXED LAWN GRASS** A superior mixture of the best and cleanest grades of seed. Adapted to general lawn purposes.

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**EXTRA FINE MIXED** Each variety included has a different period of luxuriant growth so that the lawn is in excellent condition all summer.

Lb. 65c; 10 lbs. \$6.00.

**SHADY LAWN MIXTURE** An excellent selection of fine grasses which thrive in the shade of trees or buildings.

Lb. 70c; 10 lbs. \$6.50.

Particularly Adapted to Western Conditions

**MORSE'S CALIFORNIA LAWN MIXTURE** (No white clover or rye grass) Excellent for fine lawns, especially in the West. It contains only the finest-leaved grasses to make a good, perennially green turf.

Lb. 60c; 10 lbs. \$5.50.

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## KEY TO SYMBOLS

- h** Hardy.....Resists low temperatures.
- hh** Half-Hardy..Needs protection where temperatures are low.
- t** Tender.....Will not endure frost.
- A** Annual.....Lives only one season.
- B** Biennial.....Lives two seasons; often blooms second year only.
- P** Perennial....Tends to live from year to year.
- C** Climber.....Requires support.
- R** Rock Plant..Suitable for rock gardens.

Where quantities are offered, the weights mentioned are the smallest units we supply.

All prices quoted include delivery by mail in U. S. A.

**ABRONIA** (Sand Verbena) [hA-R-6 in.] This graceful trailing plant bears verbena-like flowers rosy lilac in color and especially fragrant toward evening. It thrives in poor dry soil making it particularly suited to rock gardens and to window boxes in full sunshine.

**Umbellata Grandiflora**.....½ oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**ACHILLEA** (Sneezewort, Yarrow) [hP-2 ft.] One of the best perennials for cutting or along shrubbery. The plants bear many clusters of small double satin-white flowers during a long season. They prefer a sunny exposure.

**Ptarmica, The Pearl**.....Pkt. 15c

**ACROCLINIUM** [hhA-15 in.] The double daisy-like blooms of this straw flower are about one inch across, borne singly on long stems which are at first inclined and later stand erect. They are well liked as fresh flowers, but their best use is in winter bouquets for which they should be cut when in bud.

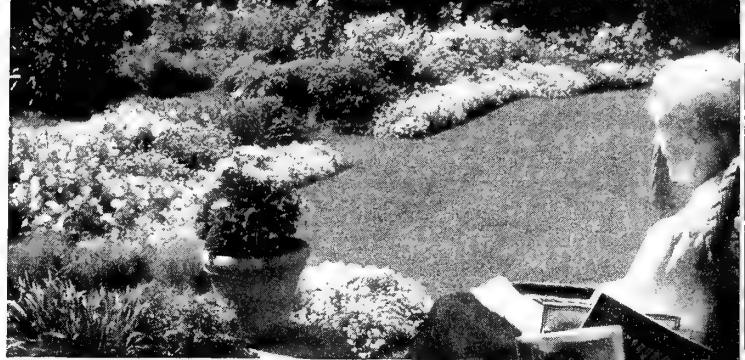
**Double Mixed**.....Oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**ADONIS** (Pheasant's Eye) [hA-1 ft.] This showy plant with dark green feathery foliage bears small cup-shaped flowers of a deep crimson with dark centers. As a cut flower in water, the buds will open and the flowers continue to grow for several days. Sow seed in the open, spring or fall, preferably the latter in California. It is somewhat slow to germinate.

**Aestivalis**.....Oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**AFGHAN GILLIFLOWER** (See Erysimum)

**AFRICAN DAISY** (See Arctotis, Dimorphotheca, Gerbera)



One of the most attractive parts of this flower garden is its dainty edging of Carpet of Snow (*Alyssum procumbens*). (See page 52.)



### AGERATUM (Floss Flower) [hA]

Other flowers in garden and border are made lovelier by the presence of this plant with its dense clusters of small fuzzy blossoms. The taller type is fine for cutting while the dwarfs are suitable as edging plants.

**Blue** [18 in.] Soft lavender-blue.....½ oz. 50c

**Blue Ball** [8 in.] Clear blue, compact.....¼ oz. 50c  
Pkts. 10c each

**Tom Thumb (Little Blue Star)** [4 in.] The finest variety for neat edgings.....⅛ oz. 45c; pkt. 15c

Plant Acroclinium and other straw flowers for color in your home next winter. (See page 90 for complete list.)



# Modern



Almost as soon as winter is over, *Alyssum saxatile compactum* becomes a mass of yellow gold—a fine companion to spring bulb flowers.

**Grandiflora Blue...**  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**AGROSTEMMA** [hP-18 in.] Downy foliage of silvery gray contrasts well with the vivid blood-red flowers of this hardy plant. The blossoms are shaped like single pinks. They are showy both in the border and as cut flowers.

**Coronaria Atrosanguinea** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

**ALYSSUM** The annual sorts of this plant are among the easiest flowers to grow. They bloom almost continuously from early summer to frost, and the fragrance of the flowers is delightful. For permanence in the border and in the rock garden the perennial variety is most useful.

**Sweet** (Maritimum) [hA-10 in.] Clusters of these small, white, four-petaled flowers, delicately scented, are delightful in small bouquets ..... Oz. 35c; pkt. 5c

**Procumbens** (Carpet of Snow) [hA-4 in.] The finest edging variety, producing a flat, rounded mass of snow-white flowers obscuring the foliage .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Compactum erectum, Little Gem, White** [hA-6 in.] A graceful dwarf form producing honey-scented blooms in firm terminal clusters .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Compactum erectum, Lilac Queen** [hA-6 in.] A mass of delicate lavender flowers cover this attractive dwarf plant .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Saxatile compactum** [hP-R-9 in.] Sometimes called Basket of Gold. It grows compactly and is covered with a wealth of golden blossoms in late spring .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**AMARANTHUS** [hA] These robust plants, related to the Celosias, afford brilliant contrasts of color. They do best in open sunny spots. They thrive in good soil, but the colorings are more vivid in poorer ground.

**Caudatus** (Love Lies Bleeding) [3 ft.] A rapid growing sort with long, drooping crimson flower spikes .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 5c

**Tricolor** (Joseph's Coat) [2 $\frac{1}{2}$  ft.] The brilliant leaves of this variety appear in red, yellow, and green .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**ANCHUSA (Summer Forget-Me-Not)** Graceful sprays with clusters of small flowers something like Forget-me-nots. Stalks and foliage are somewhat rough and hairy. The color of the flowers, an intense shade of deep gentian blue, is their best feature. They are ornamental both in the garden and as cut flowers.

**Capensis, Bluebird** [hA-2 ft.] Sprays of clear, bright blue flowers with white eyes. Very similar to the Forget-me-not, but the flowers are larger, and their color is brighter ..... Pkt. 10c

**Italica, Dropmore** [hP-3 ft.] A handsome tall plant producing an abundance of flowers of deepest gentian blue in drooping sprays. It does well in a rather dry situation and prefers partial shade .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**ANEMONE CORONARIA (Wind Flower)** [hhP-R-10 in.] In early spring these wind flowers make a brilliant show. The delicate cup-shaped blooms with their contrasting velvety tufted centers are carried on strong stems. They thrive in rich soil and are excellent for cutting.

**Single, Giant de Caen, Mixed** The gay flowers of this French sort appear in blue, red, and white .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Semi-Double, St. Brigid, Mixed** A large and free flowering Irish variety producing blossoms in a great variety of striking colors .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 15c

**ANNUAL POINSETTIA (See Euphorbia)**

**AQUILEGIA (See Columbine)**

**ARABIS (Rock Cress)** [hP-R-6 in.] One of the showiest and earliest of spring flowering plants. Its blanket of pure white flowers will brighten the edge of any border or a sunny spot in the rock garden. It is easy to grow and very hardy.

**Alpina** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

## Starting a Rock Garden?

▲ ▲ ▲ Look on page 91 for a list  
of excellent plants to be grown  
from seed.

# Snapdragons come in Exquisite Colors

**ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon)** [hA] Modern Snapdragons come in a wide range of colors from delicate pastels to vivid hues.

Seed may be sown outdoors in fall or spring. Where winters are severe, gardeners who want early flowers should start the seed under glass in spring, transplanting to a sunny situation as soon as the ground is warm.

**Rust Resistant** Our own special strains bred for resistance against this blight. (For further description, see page 48.)

**Tall Maximum** (100% resistant.)  
White      Yellow

**Giant Bedding** (100% resistant.)  
Golden Bronze

Any one of the above: Pkt. 25c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85c; pkt. 10c

**Tall Maximum** [3 ft.] Huge spikes with large individual blooms. Because of their height they require staking.

**Copper, Copper King** Crimson Pink, The Rose  
White, Snowflake Yellow, Canary Bird

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.00; pkt. 15c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 70c; pkt. 15c

**Intermediate Majus** [2 ft.] Graceful spikes of large flowers closely placed on stems of medium length. The spikes are not quite so spindly as the taller sorts.

**Brilliant Rose** Scarlet, Defiance

**Crimson, Crimson King** White, Queen Victoria

**Pink, Venus** Yellow, Golden King

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Early Autumn Glow Improved** The earliest and thriftiest of this type. Extremely handsome. The color is soft old rose tinged with buff and salmon. We recommend it unreservedly for every section where rust is not serious. ....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Giant Bedding** [18 in.] These plants require no support. Though the stems are relatively short, the spikes are very handsome and the Majestic strains bear blossoms equal in size to the Maximum group.

**Crimson, Crimson Eclipse** Scarlet, Dazzler

**Pink, Philadelphia** White, Purity

**Rose, Rose Eclipse** Yellow, Golden Queen

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Majestic**

**Salmon Pink, Delight** Terra Cotta, Sunset

Either of the above:  $\frac{1}{6}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 25c

**Florists' Strain**

Closely set flower spikes and extreme earliness distinguish this strain. It is the only kind to grow under glass, and it is also satisfactory outdoors

**Afterglow**, Rich bronze ..... Pkt. 50c

**Cheviot Maid Supreme**, Rose pink ..... Pkt. 50c

**Rose Queen**, Deep rose pink ..... Pkt. 50c

**Suntan**, Golden bronze ..... Pkt. 50c

**Ceylon Court**, Yellow ..... Pkt. 25c

**ARCTOTIS (Blue-Eyed African Daisy)** [hA-2 ft.]

This sun loving plant from South Africa is better suited to American conditions than any other African daisy. It stands dry weather unusually well. The petals are white with light lilac backs; they radiate from a contrasting steel blue center ringed with yellow.

**Grandis** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**ARMERIA (Thrift, Sea Pink)** [hP-R-6 in.] A pretty border or rock garden plant that does well even in rather poor sandy soil. The grass-like foliage is bright green and grows in a tuft. Above its base numerous stiff stems carry little globes of rose-pink flowers which bloom intermittently for a long season.

**Maritima** .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**ASCLEPIAS (Butterfly Wild Flower)** [hP-2 ft.] This is among the most striking and colorful of our native perennials. The flowers, borne in clusters, are gorgeous orange and make graceful bouquets. The plant seems to prefer a well drained soil in a sunny situation.

**Tuberosa** ..... Pkt. 25c

**ASPARAGUS** Ornamental varieties of Asparagus are particularly useful as soft backgrounds for floral baskets and bouquets and are much used by florists. Seeds start slowly and should be soaked in warm water before planting.

**Sprengeri (Emerald Feather)** [tA-4 ft.] A feathery variety with graceful drooping branches. It is beautiful as a house plant.

**Plumosus Nanus (Lace Fern)** [tA-3 ft.] Good lasting quality and delicate foliage.

Pkts. 10c each



One of our new Rust Resistant Snapdragons. The view shows a field of these flowers on one of our California Ranches.

# Grow Beautiful Asters from

Have you had trouble raising Asters on account of Fusarium Wilt? Wilt-Resistant Strains will solve the problem. In size and form they equal the non-resistant types, and on the whole they are more vigorous. Whenever possible, it is best to use them in preference to the older types.

**Double Early Queen of the Market** [18 in.] This branching class has handsome blossoms, rather flat, and relatively broad and full with incurved petals. It will bloom two weeks earlier than any other sort in our list and remain in good condition until the later varieties begin to flower.

**Wilt-resistant strains:**

Crimson	Lavender	Pink
Purple	Rose	White

Any of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 10c

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Double King** (Narrow Needle Petal) [2 ft.] Produces large rounded heads composed of narrow tubular or quilled petals. The long stems are erect and sturdy. The plants bloom before most of the late kinds.

**Wilt-resistant strains:**

Crimson	Lavender	Pink
Violet	White	

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 65c; pkt. 10c

Mixed..  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

Double  
Giant  
Crego  
Asters are  
among the  
best for  
home  
gardens.  
Our  
strains are  
all wilt-  
resistant.

**Double Giant Crego** [2 ft.] Flowers with long, shaggy, twisted petals are borne abundantly on robust branching plants. They bloom a few days after the King varieties. Also called "Ostrich Plume" and "Giant Comet".

**Wilt-resistant strains:**

Crimson	Lavender	Pink	Purple
White		Mixed	

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 65c; pkt. 10c

**Double Giants of California** [2½ ft.] Selected from the Cregos, this type has flowers of the same form, but they are larger and carried on longer stems. They come into bloom two weeks later than the Cregos and should be planted only where the growing season is long.

Lavender      Peach Blossom      Purple      Rose      White

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 15c

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 15c

**Double American Branching** [2 ft.] The plants are quite spreading, bearing many good sized blossoms, fully double with petals evenly incurved—the most regular and symmetrical of all asters. They bloom at the same time as the Cregos.

**Wilt-resistant strains:**

Ball's White	Lavender
Peerless Pink	Purple
Rose	Ruby Red (Heart of France)

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 10c

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

**Double American Beauty** [2½ ft.] This group is similar to American Branching. However, the flowers, though fewer, are longer stemmed and larger and about two weeks later in season. There are two strains, Early Beauty and Late Beauty. We supply the earlier type.

**Wilt-resistant strains:**

Crimson	Peach Blossom	Rose
Lavender	Purple	White

Any one of the above:  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 80c; pkt. 15c

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 15c

**Giant California Sunshine** [2½ ft.] This artistic flower has a single row of outer petals adorned with a tufted center of short florets. A new race, taller and larger flowered than any of the older Sunshine types.

Mixed..  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 50c;  
pkt. 25c

**Fine Mixed** All  
annual sorts..  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 5c

# Wilt-Resistant strains

**Aster, Imbricated Pompon Mixed** (14-16 in.) Erect habit; small pompon flowers with most of the florets tubed. Especially fine for cutting..... Pkt. 15c

**Aster, Single Perennial or Michaelmas Daisy** [hP-3 ft.] In late autumn, this fine native of New England supplies some of the last patches of color. The plants are sturdy, branch well near the top, and produce quantities of flowers. These are daisy-like in shape with small contrasting discs and come in a variety of soft and vivid colors.

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 65c; pkt. 10c

**AUBRIETIA** [hP-R-6 in.] A dainty dwarf creeping plant that is indispensable to the rock garden. It is also used for bedding where a mat of close foliage covered with a blanket of color is desired. It blooms in the early spring, is quite hardy, and does well in moderately poor soil.

**Bougainvillei**, Bluish Purple..... Pkt. 25c

**AURICULA** (See Primula) ,

**AUSTRALIAN PEA VINE** (See Dolichos)

**BABY BLUE EYES** (See Nemophila)

**BABY'S BREATH** (See Gypsophila)

**BABY PRIMROSE** (See Primula malacoides)

**BACHELOR'S BUTTON** (See Centaurea)

**BALLOON VINE** (*Cardiospermum*) (**Love-in-a-puff**) [hA-C-10 ft.] The numerous seed pods of this curious vine are inflated pouches resembling balloons. It is a rapid growing, graceful climber that should have some support. The small flowers are white. It succeeds well in light soil. The botanical name comes from the white heart-shaped spots on the black seeds which are often strung as beads. .... Oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**BALSAM** (**Lady's Slipper**) [hA-18 in.] These bushy plants grow well in partial shade, develop rapidly, and stand transplanting when of good size. The double blossoms nestle close to the central stalk. If the leaves hide the blossoms, they may be trimmed back. The plants require plenty of moisture.

**Double Tall or Camellia Flowered Sorts**

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 5c

**BALSAM APPLE OR PEAR** (See Momordica)

**BEANS** (See Scarlet Runner)

**BARTONIA** [hA-1 ft.] Though a native of California, this plant should be better known in other parts of the country. The handsome single flowers are golden yellow, with bristling stamens. The gray foliage is thistle-like and glistens in the sunshine. The plant does not stand transplanting. A dry sunny spot in the rock garden is a suitable place for it.

**Aurea**.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**BEARD TONGUE** (See Penstemon)

**BEGONIA, Gracilis, or Fibrous rooted** [tP-10 in.] Sturdy plants with glossy foliage and profuse bloom. The seed should be started under glass in cold climates. These Begonias prefer rich soil and sunshine, but they will also grow in shade.

**Luminosa** Deep scarlet flowers; bronze foliage.... Pkt. 25c

**Prima Donna** Bright carmine rose..... Pkt. 25c

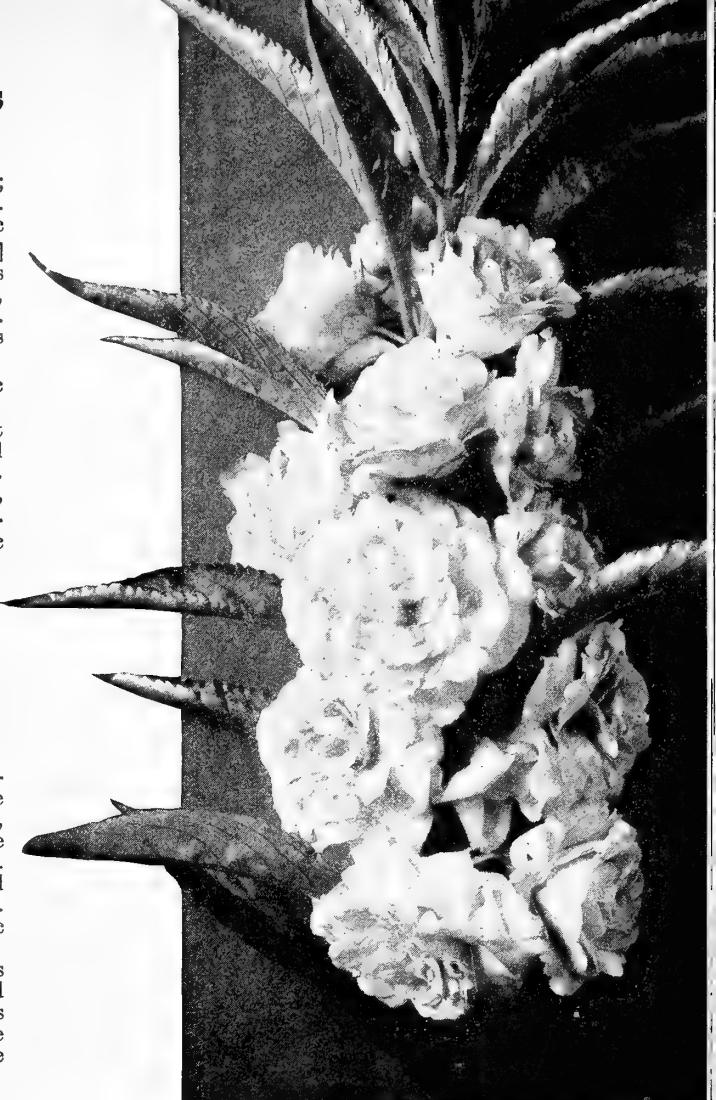
**BELLIS PERENNIS** (**English Daisy**) [hP-R-8 in.] Favorites for edgings, low beds, and rock gardens. The leaves form a low rosette. The button-like flowers are composed of numerous rows of tightly packed petals. When established, they are profuse bloomers for a long period.

**Double Monstrosa** Vigorous plants bear extra large flowers.

Pink Red White Mixed

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 15c

**Double Mixed** A choice collection of the small double type in shades of white, pink, and rose....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c



The somewhat formal plants of Balsam make neat low-growing hedges.

**BLACK-EYED SUSAN** (See *Thunbergia*)

**BLANKET FLOWER** (See *Gaillardia*)

**BLUE LACE FLOWER** (See *Didiscus*)

**BOUNCING BET** (See *Saponaria*)

**BRACHYCOME** (**Swan River Daisy**) [hA-10 in.] Above their lacy foliage the small flowers of these little plants are borne during most of the summer, creating spots of soft color in a bed or border. A fine rock garden plant. Start seed early indoors.

**Blue.** Intense shade of blue.

**Mixed.** Rich assortment of colors.

Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**BRAZILIAN MORNING GLORY** (See *Ipomoea*)

**BROWALLIA** [hA-1 ft.] A plant which can be used both in the border and to decorate an inside window garden is sure to be a special favorite. This one blooms profusely outdoors in summer and autumn even in hot dry weather, while as a house plant it blossoms well throughout the winter. The graceful pyramidal plants with dark green leaves produce upright stalks adorned with many star-shaped flowers. These are a rare, intense blue with sparkling white centers.

**Speciosa Major (Blue)** ..... Pkt. 25c

# Give your Annuals and Perennials



Remove the fading flowers from Calendula plants, and you will have plenty of blossoms all summer. This is Orange King, one of the most reliable varieties.

**BUDDLEIA** (Butterfly Bush or Summer Lilac) [hP-3 to 8 ft.] When once it has been tried, this plant becomes an essential as a background in many gardens. The long flower spikes taper like those of the true lilac, and they are quite similar in color. The blossoms are sweetly fragrant, and they bloom continuously from late summer until frost. In Northern latitudes the plant dies down in winter, starting up from the roots the following spring.

*Variabilis Veitchiana* ..... Pkt. 10c

**BUTTERCUP** (See *Ranunculus*)

**BUTTERFLY BUSH** (See *Buddleia*)

**BUTTERFLY WILD FLOWER** (See *Asclepias*)

**CACALIA** (Tassel Flower) [hA-18 in.] Home gardeners enjoy these choice plants, for the flowers are particularly adapted to cutting because of their long, wiry stems. The blossoms are like little brushes dipped in scarlet paint. They bloom from June to frost.

**Scarlet** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**CALENDULA** (Pot Marigold) [hA-18 in.] This old favorite has few rivals for being the showiest annual in the garden, or as a cut flower. In most climates it blooms all summer if the seed pods are kept off, but the brilliant flowers are particularly valuable in late fall. In California it lives up to its name and spans the calendar. The bushy plants with their dense green leaves bear large disc-like double flowers. They thrive even in poor soil and require little care. Calendulas, besides being so popular for open air culture, are of great merit for forcing by florists who appreciate their value for winter use.

**Ball's Gold** (Florists' Strain) Fully double golden yellow flowers of extra size. Very long stems and extreme vigor make this Calendula an ideal variety for forcing. It is also desirable for growing outdoors when the season is fairly cool.

**Ball's Orange Improved** (Florists' Strain) Perhaps the best known and most popular of all forcing varieties. It is larger flowered and longer stemmed than Orange King, but the color is slightly lighter, and the plant does not withstand hot weather quite so well.

**Radio** This novel development of form in Calendulas has been received with much favor. The flowers are hemispherical in shape with bristling quilled petals which add materially to the grace of the blossoms. Their color is a glowing rich orange.

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 15c

**Sunshine** (Chrysanthemum) This is an outstanding new Calendula with Chrysanthemum-shaped flowers of bright golden yellow. The long clean stems make them especially good for cutting. ....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Lemon Queen** A reliable variety supplying large blossoms of clear lemon yellow. It has long been a standard Calendula. The flowers are smaller than those of Ball's Gold, but more resistant to sun. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Orange King** An extra select stock producing magnificent flowers of a deep orange color. They resist hot sun better than the florist's types, and therefore they are more suitable for garden culture. The flowers are borne abundantly on sturdy compact plants. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** Many varieties in a well blended mixture which is very brilliant. .... Oz. 35c; pkt. 5c

**CALIFORNIA NATIVE FLOWERS, Mixed** A collection of twenty-three different varieties suitable for mild climates such as California. .... Oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**CALIFORNIA CANTERBURY BELLS** (See *Whitavia*)

**CALIFORNIA POPPY** (See *Eschscholtzia*)

# Plenty of Room to grow

**CALLIOPSIS** [hA] This graceful plant with its finely cut foliage produces a wealth of brilliant flowers. The blooms are daisy-like in form, but their broad petals are slightly toothed at the outside edges. On their tall swinging stems they are not only decorative in the garden but make fine bouquets. From June until late autumn there will be plenty of flowers if they are kept cut. The plants like the sunshine.

**Mixed** A fine mixture in shades from golden yellow to maroon.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 5c

PERENNIAL CALLIOPSIS (See Coreopsis)

**CAMPANULA** This great family of plants might fancifully be compared to a set of chimes, for they are all bell flowers. Some carry large bells and others tiny ones. Some are tall and stately, well suited for backgrounds in the hardy border, while others are dwarf and dainty, fit to grace a quiet rock garden. The plants prefer a medium rich soil and do well even in half shady spots.

**Medium or Canterbury Bell** [hP-2 ft.] Branching plants heavily loaded with large pendant bells. The flowers appear in white, various shades of blue, and even pink, a color found only in the medium class.

**Annual Single Mixed**..... Pkt. 25c

**Biennial Single Mixed**.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Biennial Double Mixed**.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

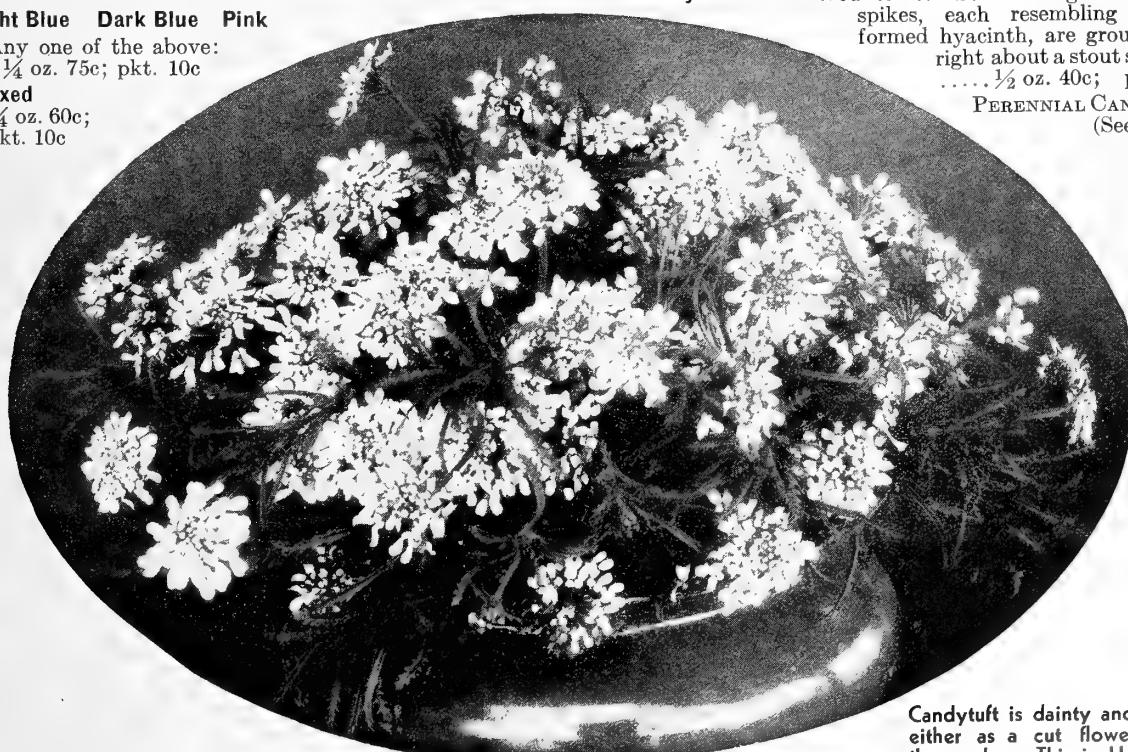
**Medium Calycanthema** (Cup and Saucer) [hB-2 ft.] A beautiful and distinctive type laden with flowers, each of which is a large cup-shaped bell surrounded by a calyx similar in color and resembling a saucer. Fine border subjects.

**Light Blue Dark Blue Pink**

Any one of the above:  
   $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed**

$\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60c;  
  pkt. 10c



Candytuft is dainty and fragrant either as a cut flower or in the garden. This is Umbellata.

**Carpatica** (Harebell) [hP-R-8 in.] All summer long, graceful stems carry dainty blue bells that open toward the sky over a compact rosette of heart-shaped leaves. A gem for the rock garden and low borders.

**Blue**.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 55c; pkt. 10c

**Persicifolia** (Peach Bells) [hP-3 ft.] One of the taller and finer types of Campanulas. Its long spikes are profusely adorned with broad somewhat shallow bell-shaped flowers. Handsome in the border and excellent for cutting.

**Blue**..... Pkt. 10c

**Pyramidalis** (Chimney Bellflower) [hP-5 ft.] Noble plants with extremely long spikes packed with starry bells. Long blooming; they do well in a warm dry situation.

**Blue**..... Pkt. 10c

**CANARY BIRD FLOWER** [hA-C-6 ft.] Anyone who desires a vine that is unique and out of the ordinary should try this rapidly growing runner with its delicately cut leaves and its curious bird-like flowers. The blossoms with their fringed wings are pure yellow. The vine should be allowed to climb on a trellis in a sunny place... Oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**CANDYTUFT** [hA-1 ft.] Somewhat like Sweet Alyssum, both flowers and plants are a little more open and larger. They are splendid for use in the border, and as cut flowers. They bear quantities of single four-petaled blossoms in terminal clusters. Plenty of sunshine and only a moderate amount of watering are conditions that favor their best development.

**Umbellata** Compact varieties liberally sprinkled with flat clusters of small florets.

**Lilac**      **Purple**      **White**

Any one of the above: Oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Rose Cardinal**...  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c   **Mixed**..... Oz. 40c  
  Pkts. 10c each

**Giant Hyacinth Flowered White** Several large bold floral spikes, each resembling a well formed hyacinth, are grouped upright about a stout stem...  
....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

PERENNIAL CANDYTUFT  
(See Iberis)

# Mix small Flower Seeds with Sand;

**CANNA** [tP-3 ft.] There is fine dignity in this stately plant. Each stalk produces broad leaves of green or bronze, topped by a cluster of large flowers of varied and vivid colors. Usually they are started from roots, but they can easily be grown from seed. The seeds, however, are very hard and should be notched or filed and soaked before planting.

Large Flowering Mixed ..... Oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

CANTERBURY BELL (See Campanula)

**CARDINAL CLIMBER** (*Ipomoea Quamoclit Hybrida*) [hA-C-15 ft.] This rapidly growing climber attains quite a height during the season if planted in rich soil in a warm sunny place. The flowers, growing in clusters, are tubular and expand into star-shaped rims. Their color is an intense fiery red which shows off to advantage against the feathery green of the leaves. ....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

CARDIOSPERMUM (See Balloon Vine)

Rich soil, good drainage, and sunshine will help perfect these spicy blossoms. This is Chabaud Giant.



**CARNATION** (*Dianthus Caryophyllus*) [hA] Few flowers surpass in beauty of form or delicious fragrance the richly hued Carnation. The plants are branching but compact, and the handsome blossoms are produced on blue-green stems that are stiff but slender. The double flowers with their thick waxy petals are spicy scented. Carnation is really a tender perennial, but it is best to treat it as an annual and plant new seeds each year.

**Chabaud Giant** [18 in.] This variety blooms six months after seeding and continues throughout the summer. The plants, robust and erect, supply handsome, double, clove-scented flowers of extra large size. This type should not be confused with the old, small-flowered Chabaud.

Cardinal Red	Salmon	Deep Rose
Yellow		White

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 65c; pkt. 15c

Mixed .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75c; pkt. 10c

**Enfant de Nice Mixed** (20 in.) Slightly larger flowered, longer stemmed and a little more spreading than Chabaud Giant, but otherwise similar to it. .... Pkt. 15c

**Marguerite** [20 in.] This well-known variety blooms five months after the seeds are planted. The vigorous plants bear deeply fringed, sweet-scented flowers in a choice assortment of rich colors.

Double Mixed .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 10c

CASTOR BEAN (See Ricinus)

**CELOSIA** (*Cockscomb*) [hA] An odd and picturesque class of plants having colored foliage and innumerable small flowers and seed vessels which form a brilliant colored mass. The vivid blossoms are sometimes gracefully arranged like plumes and in other types form dense clusters corrugated and frilled at the edges like cocks' combs. They retain their brilliant coloring from midsummer until frost.

**Dwarf Crested** (*Cristata*) [10 in.] This little plant is almost over-powered by the large ruffled velvety crest that rises above it on a central stem. This variety gives Celosia the name "Cockscomb".

**Empress** Large crimson combs, rich bronze foliage.

**Rose** Fine rose colored crests.

Pkts. 10c each

Mixed .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 65c; pkt. 10c

**Dwarf Feathered** (*Plumosa*) [12 in.]

**Fiery Feather** An unexcelled edging plant when bright red is wanted, for the plants grow very evenly. Brilliant and pretty. .... Pkt. 10c

**Tall Feathered** (*Plumosa*) [3 ft.] These plants display numerous stately, elegant plumes. They are impressive in the garden and are equally striking when dried and used for winter bouquets.

**Crimson** ..... Pkt. 10c

Mixed, Crimson, rose, and golden-yellow. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

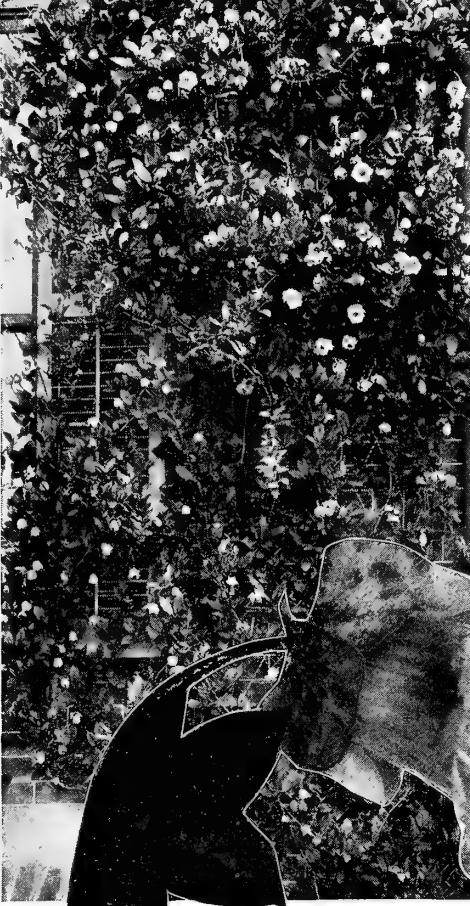
**Childsi** (Chinese Woolflower) [2 ft.] Upon the many branches of this gay plant are borne, terminally, vivid crimson flower clusters like balls of yarn. A single plant forms a veritable bouquet of these odd blossom heads.

Crimson .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**CERASTIUM** (*Snow in Summer*) [hP-R-6 in.] This luxuriant fast growing creeper is particularly adapted to edgings, or for sunny situations in the rock garden. At a distance the silvery-white foliage and profusion of small white flowers give the effect of snow. It blooms early.

**Tomentosum** ..... Pkt. 15c

# it Saves Thinning



**Cobaea scandens** (the Cup and Saucer Vine) is a graceful climber. Start the seeds indoors, setting each one edgewise in the soil. This vine is described on page 60.

**CENTAUREA** Well adapted for border planting and also for cut flowers. The blossoms are somewhat thistle-like in form. All varieties listed here are easily raised from seed.

**Cyanus Double** (Bachelor Button) [hA-2 ft.] This superb class of Cornflowers produces handsome, large, double blooms, effective out-of-doors and in bouquets.

**Blue      Rose**

Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** ..... Oz. 50c; pkt. 5c

**Jubilee Gem** A dwarf form of blue Bachelor Button. (See page 49 for further description.) ..... Pkt. 25c

**Imperialis** (Sweet Sultan) [hA-2½ ft.] Flowers with deeply fringed petals closely held in rounded calyxes are graceful in form and delicately scented. They have long stems and keep fresh a long time.

**Amaranth Red      White  
Yellow (Suaveolens)**

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

**Gymnocarpa** (Dusty Miller) [hP-18 in.] The leaves of this ornamental border plant are silvery gray and deeply cut. In a mild climate it produces attractive yellow thistle-like blossoms..... Pkt. 10c

**CHINESE FORGET-ME-NOT** (See *Cynoglossum*)

**CHINESE LANTERN** (See *Physalis*)

**CHINESE WOOLFLOWER** (See *Celosia*)

**CHRYSANTHEMUM, PERENNIAL** (See Shasta Daisy)

**CHEIRANTHUS** (Siberian Wallflower) [hB-R-12 in.] This unusual little plant deserves a place in your rock garden or low border. Upright spikes bear numerous four-petaled flowers of dazzling rich orange. Though a hardy biennial, it flowers the first season from seed.

**Allioni** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**CHRYSANTHEMUM, ANNUAL** [hA] These summer blooming sorts are of robust habit, very easy to grow, and make a fine display in the border. They should not be confused with the fall or Japanese varieties which are propagated only by root division. The single and double types come chiefly in shades or combinations of yellow and white.

**Double Coronarium** [2 ft.] Compact in habit; handsome flowers.

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Single Annual** [20 in.] A free-flowering class, producing gay daisy-like blooms of delicate coloring poised on long, stiff stems. Excellent for bouquets.

**Mixed** A varied assortment .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**CINERARIA** [tP] In a mild climate Cinerarias can successfully be grown out-of-doors. In colder climates they make ideal pot plants to be grown in a cool place in the house. The large velvety leaves are sometimes completely covered by the daisy-like flowers. Their colors are vivid in shades and combinations of purple, red, blue, and white.

**Hybrida Large Flowered**

**Mixed** [16 in.] At our California breeding station we have reselected the best of the American strains to produce larger flowers with broad petals ..... Pkt. 15c

**Stellata** [2 ft.] A distinctive class, the plants of which are open growing and very floriferous. The loose clusters of graceful, star-like flowers are unusually decorative ..... Pkt. 25c

**CLARKIA, Double** [hA-2 ft.]

These graceful plants are erect and bushy with attractive light green foliage. They bear quantities of delicately colored double flowers, resembling small carnations or rosettes set along the stems.

**Chamois Queen**

Fresh cream pink.

**Orange King**

Salmon orange.

Each of the above:

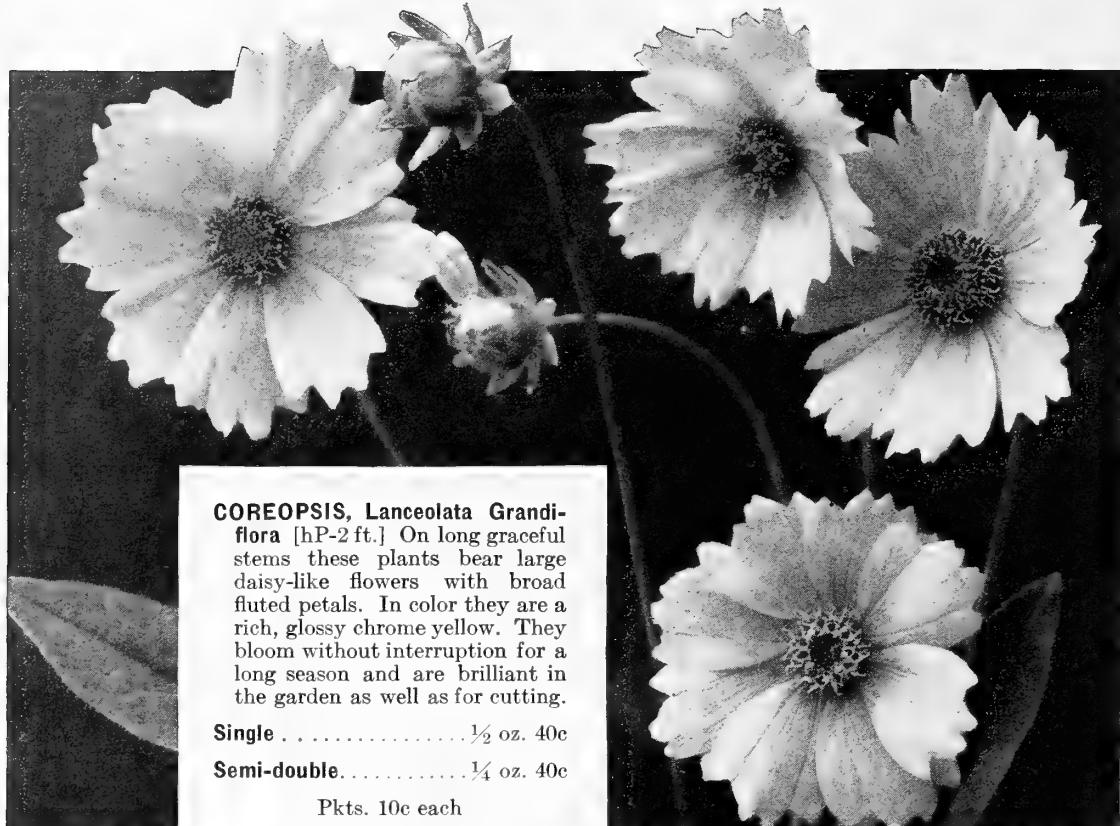
$\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** Rich colors .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

Plant some of these large double Bachelor Buttons (*Centauraea cyanus*) along with *Coreopsis*. You'll like the combination.



# Ferry's Seeds are of Highest Quality



Coreopsis is one of the most satisfying flowers you can select. It is among the few perennials that bloom the first year from seed planted in spring.

**COREOPSIS, Lanceolata Grandiflora** [hP-2 ft.] On long graceful stems these plants bear large daisy-like flowers with broad fluted petals. In color they are a rich, glossy chrome yellow. They bloom without interruption for a long season and are brilliant in the garden as well as for cutting.

**Single** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c

**Semi-double** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c

Pkts. 10c each

**CLEOME (Spider Plant)** [hA-4 ft.] Among the shrubs, or in a corner where you want something unusually attractive, plant this tall growing Cleome. Each spreading branch and the central stalk ends in a cluster of curious flowers. Each has four petals of rosy purple and six long stamens.

**Pungens** ..... Pkt. 10c

**COBaea SCANDENS** [hhP-C-30 ft.] This climber of rapid growth has deep green foliage of fine texture, and it bears large bell-shaped flowers on graceful stems. The blossoms are green at first, later changing to beautiful deep violet blue. The vine clings by means of spiral tendrils. It is hardy in a mild climate. (See illustration Page 59.)

**Blue** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**COCKSCOMB (See Celosia)**

**COIX LACHRYMA (See Job's Tears)**

**COLEUS, Large Leaved** [tP-12 in.] These are the ornamental "foliage" plants so well adapted for growing in the house in winter. They can also be transplanted outdoors when the weather is warm, and for borders or window boxes in partial shade they are unexcelled. The leaves are of many shades and combinations of green, red, and yellow.

**Finest Mixed** ..... Pkt. 25c

**COLLINSIA (Blue-Eyed-Mary)** [hA-12 in.] This California wild flower adds freshness to the cultivated garden. Towering spikes stand erect above the dark green foliage, each one ringed with several dense clusters of two-toned blossoms of many colors. The plant requires but little moisture.

**Mixed** ..... Pkt. 10c

**COLUMBINE (Aquilegia)** [hP-2½ ft.] No garden can afford to be without a liberal assortment of these delicately graceful plants which bloom so early in the season. From a clump of light green leaves at the base the branching stems project, carrying their long-spurred blossoms. The plants look frail, but they are strong and hardy and will thrive in almost every situation, preferring partial shade and considerable moisture.

**Long Spurred** Superb single sorts unsurpassed for beauty and size of flower and with remarkably long spurs.

**Blue Shades** **Pink Shades** **Orange and Scarlet Shades**  
Pkts. 25c each

**Imperial Long Spurred Hybrids** A delightful collection, surpassing the Scott-Elliott Hybrids in beauty and size of blooms. They are also more free-flowering and vigorous.  
**Notice the color photograph of these beauties on the front cover** .....  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

**Coerulea** (Rocky Mountain Columbine) A splendid native variety. The cream colored inner petals of the blossoms contrast nicely with the bluish-violet outer petals and spurs.  
..... Pkt. 25c

**Double, Mixed** Flowers in a variety of rich hues display elaborate rings of petals about the tubular centers which end in rather short curled spurs. The blossom heads are more compact than those of the single type. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**CONE FLOWER (See Rudbeckia)**

**CONVOLVULUS (See Morning Glory)**

**CORAL BELLS (See Heuchera)**

## If You Can't Find

▲▲▲ the flower or vegetable you want in the Ferry Display Box near your home, ask the storekeeper to order it.

# East, West, North or South

**COSMIDIUM** [hA-2 ft.] This little known plant blooms all summer and bears a resemblance to certain varieties of Calliopsis. It differs in its terminal flowers which are carried on long single stems over the rather low base of finely cut foliage. The blossom, edged with orange-yellow, has a brown central disc with a broad maroon ring about it.

Burridgeanum.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**COSMOS** [hA] Every gardener delights in these choice plants for late summer and autumn flowering. They have feathery light green foliage and are used to advantage in clumps for screens or backgrounds. The flowers, of a delicate texture with broad petals often overlapping and fluted, are poised terminally on long graceful stems suitable for cutting. The plants do well in any sunny spot, but bloom more profusely in poor soil which discourages excessive root growth. The seed of Cosmos germinates only after the ground is warm.

**Early Double Crested** [3 ft.] Some of the flowers have attractive, raised, central crests of small petals which completely cover the discs.

Crimson	Pink	White
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Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 15c

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 15c

**Early White Queen** (Dobbie's) [3½ ft.] Huge flowers of clear white, blooming earlier than Early Mammoth Single. ....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 15c

**Early Sensation Mixed** [3½ ft.] Very large flowers of pink and white with pink predominating. Stems long and graceful, making this Cosmos unexcelled for cutting. Early enough to bloom anywhere in the United States. Pkt. 25c

**Early Mammoth Single** [4 ft.] A type with fine single blooms, particularly adapted to Northern latitudes because they are sure to flower before early autumn frosts.

Crimson	Pink
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Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Early Single Mixed** Similar to the above but flowers not quite so large..... Oz. 50c; pkt. 5c

**Late Mammoth Single** [5 ft.] Wherever length of season permits, these varieties, which flower at least two weeks later than the early kinds, are liked because of their height and magnificent blooms.

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**Klondyke, Orange Flare** [3½ ft.] A new variety, distinctive and striking. The golden-orange flowers are fine for cutting, and the bushy plants are especially good at the back of the flower border. Seed will germinate when the ground becomes warm..... Pkt. 10c

**CYNOGLOSSUM (Chinese Forget-me-not)** [hA-2 ft.]

Too few people know this thrifty plant which is such an addition to a garden border. The long graceful branches are well covered with blossoms which resemble the Forget-me-not in form, but are larger. Their color is rich turquoise blue. If kept cut for bouquets the blooming season is long. They are easy to grow.

Amabile, Blue.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 5c

**CYPRESS VINE** (*Ipomoea Quamoclit*) [hA-C-8 ft.] A rapid-growing climber with soft deep green feathery foliage. The flowers are slender little trumpets with star-shaped rims. Due to its twining habit it will readily climb a stretched cord or light trellis.

Scarlet..... Pkt. 10c

Mixed..... Oz. 40c; pkt. 5c

**DELPHINIUM** [hP] The shades of blue in this flower range from soft rosy lavender to violet and deepest indigo. The dwarfs are valuable in the border while the magnificent tall varieties are stately and beautiful in front of a shrubbery background.

**Dwarf Chinese** [2 ft.] A short hardy type desirable for low borders or even for bedding. It has the merit of reaching its full development the first season from seed started early. The plants are dainty in form with cosmos-like foliage and produce single spurred flowers in rather loose sprays.

**Azure Fairy** Charming soft sky blue.

**Blue Butterfly** Blossoms intense gentian-blue.

Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Tall Hybrids** [5 ft.] Handsome sorts adapted to backgrounds. The long stalks are well decorated with broad, deeply cut, bright green leaves and carry long floral spikes. Plants grown from early sown seed will flower late the first season, but reach their full development the second year and thereafter. A fine succession of spikes if they are kept cut as they fade.

**Belladonna** A delightful shade of silvery blue.

**Bellamosum** Rich, deep and intense blue.

**Summer Cloud** A very satisfactory white.

Each of the above: Pkt. 15c

**Blackmore and Langdon Hybrids** Latest and highest development of the Hollyhock type of Delphinium. Very large single, semi-double, and double flowers. All the pastel shades from very light blue to indigo.....  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 10c

The golden petals of Orange Flare  
are so vivid they almost sparkle.



# Follow directions on the Seed Packets;

**DAHLIA** [tP] For rich autumn display these flowers can not be surpassed. The blossoms are wonderfully symmetrical with long stems. While usually grown from tubers, robust plants and excellent blooms may be produced the first year from seed started early in boxes and planted out after danger of frost is past.

**Single Mixed** [3 ft.] Graceful daisy-like flowers with broad, rounded petals appearing in a wide range of glowing colors. ....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Double Mixed** [2½ ft.] This plant is distinguished by fluffy, loose, double flowers of handsome formation which show a pleasing variety of vivid colorings. ....  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 25c

**Cactus Mixed** [2½ ft.] A plant of branching habit supplying magnificent double flowers with shaggy, twisted petals. .... Pkt. 25c

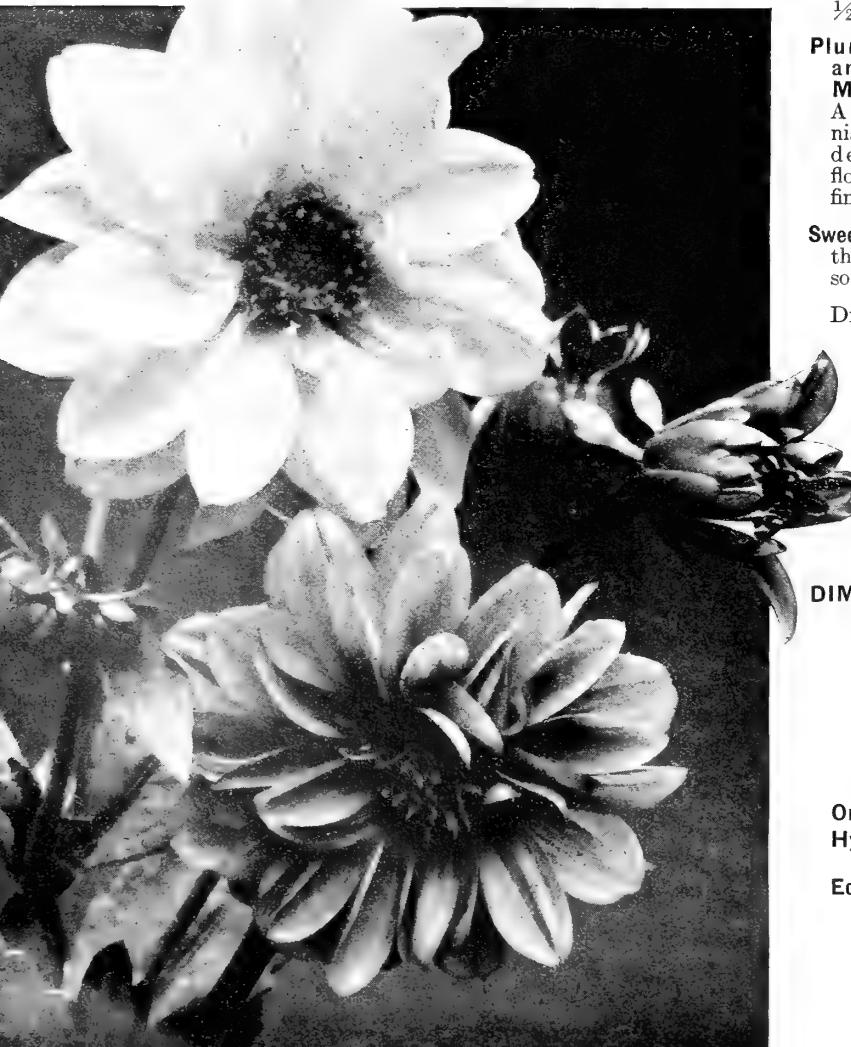
**Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids** [14 in.] In our experience, the best suited of England's many good dwarf Dahlias for growing in this country. Plants compact and well rounded. The semi-double flowers are plentiful and delightfully colored. Unusually pretty and adaptable to any garden. ....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 55c; pkt. 10c

**DAISY** (See *Arctotis*, *Bellis*, *Brachycome*, *Dimorphotheca*, *Gerbera*, *Shasta Daisy*)

**DELPHINIUM, ANNUAL** (See *Larkspur*)

**Dew Plant** (See *Mesembryanthemum*)

Unwin's Dwarf Hybrid Dahlias come in almost as many shades and hues as the springtime Tulips.



**DIANTHUS (Pinks)** The time-honored garden Pinks with their single or double Carnation-like flowers make excellent border plants for modern gardens. Gay blossoms on strong stems come in a variety of rich colors, and their stripes and markings make them especially attractive. They are of easy culture and quite suitable for cutting.

**Chinensis, Double Mixed** [hA-12 in.] This variety supplies an abundance of fringed double flowers. They resemble Sweet William, but the blossoms are larger. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 5c

**Hedgewigii Laciniatus Double Mixed** (Japan) [hA-12 in.] Superb flowers rivaling the Carnation in size and doubleness of blossoms. Excellent for bouquets. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Hedgewigii Single Mixed** [hA-12 in.] Large finely marked flowers having fringed petals. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Plumarius, Single and Semi-double Mixed** [hP-12 in.] A pleasing perennial variety with deeply fringed flowers of a rich clove scent. They appear in a fine assortment of colors. ....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**Sweet Wivelsfield** Similar to Sweet William except that it is a hardy annual, and the plants are somewhat smaller. ....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**DIANTHUS** (See also Carnation, Sweet William)

**DIDISCUS (Blue Lace Flower)** [hA-2½ ft.] The clusters of slender flower tubes on this dainty plant are heavenly blue in color and spread out like miniature lace parasols. Florists everywhere appreciate its grace and beauty as a cut flower. In home gardens it does best in cool locations. It does not grow well in hot dry weather. Each plant needs a foot of space.

**Coeruleus Blue** ....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**DIMORPHOTHECA (African Daisy)** [hA-12 in.] This annual can well be used to furnish a late splash of color in the rock garden and in low beds and borders. The spreading plants are covered with a wealth of large daisy-like blossoms which expand in full sun but close toward nightfall. Dark centers, common to all varieties, enhance their beauty. African Daisy is a splendid winter flower in California and the Southern States if sown in late fall.

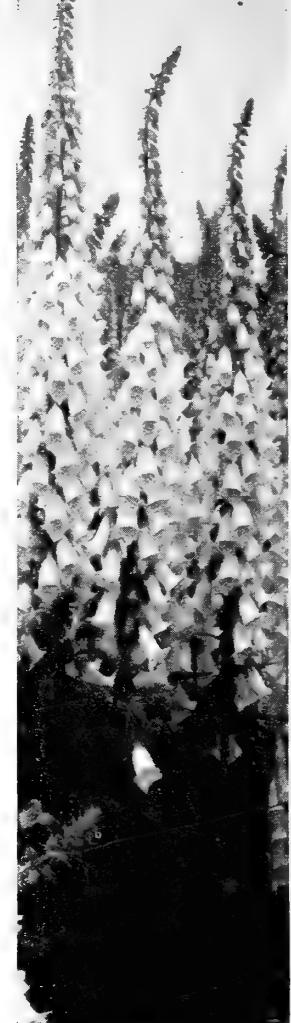
**Orange** The original form, brilliant orange.

**Hybrids** Lemon yellow to deep orange.

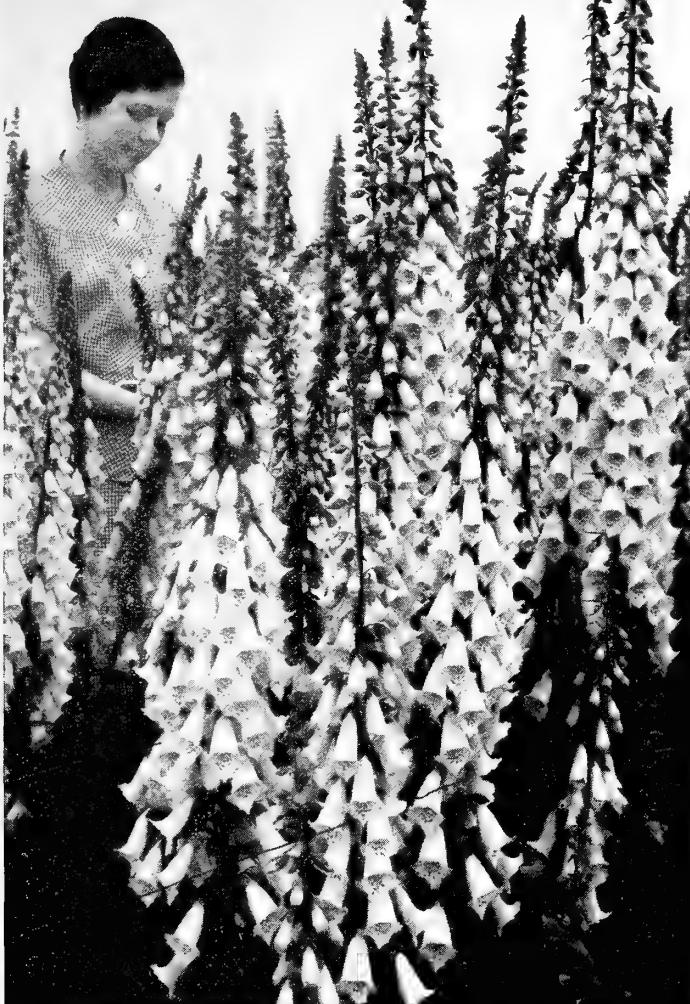
Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Ecklonis** White with dark disc, ringed blue. Reverse of petals steely lavender. .... Pkt. 15c

**DUSTY MILLER** (See *Centaurea*)



# Plant Carefully!



Try grouping stately Foxgloves (*Digitalis*) with Sweet William and some of the Pinks (*Dianthus*). They are very pleasing together.

**DIGITALIS** (**Foxglove**) *Gloxinaeflora* [hP-3 ft.] Much of the quaint charm of an old-fashioned garden is created by stately spikes of Foxglove. Their long spikes are crowded with large thimble-shaped blossoms beautifully spotted on the exposed interior surfaces. They are ornamental subjects for naturalizing among shrubs or in the background of a hardy border.

Rose	White
Pkts. 10c each	

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**DOLICHOS** Beans and peas are familiar members of the pod-bearing family to which these ornamental climbers belong. Their attractive foliage and colored flowers make them well liked for decorating arbors, trellises, and small porches.

**Lablab** (**Hyacinth Bean**) [hA-C-10 ft.] This climber grows rapidly, producing many heart-shaped leaves and numerous erect spikes of pea-like flowers in shades of purple and white. These are followed by attractive seed pods.

Mixed..... 2 oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Lignosus** (**Australian Pea Vine**) [tP-C-12 ft.] For temperate or warm climates. The bright green foliage forms a handsome background for the multitude of small rose-colored pea-shaped flowers and purplish pods. It makes a dense growth in one season...  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**ERINUS** [hP-R-4 in.] A crevice in a wall or a semi-shaded spot in the rock garden may be made gay in late spring by planting this spreading Alpine. Tidy rosettes of leaves hug the rocks while countless tiny spires of white and purplish-violet blossoms rise above them.

**Alpinus Mixed** ..... Pkt. 25c

**ERYSIMUM** (**Afghan Gilliflower**) [hA-12 in.] This plant shows off gorgeously if the gardener will plant it thickly. The upright flower spikes bear clusters of small four-petaled blossoms of an intense orange color. It is easily grown, blooms for a long time, and the perfumed flowers are quite suitable for cutting.

**Perofskianum** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**EMERALD FEATHER** (See *Asparagus sprengeri*)

**ENGLISH DAISY** (See *Bellis*)

**ESCHSCHOLTZIA** (**California Poppy**) [hA-12 in.]

California glories in this, its state flower, and today it is planted everywhere. It blooms profusely all summer. The plants grow in tufts, and the blue-green foliage is very lacy. The long tapering buds expand into handsome saucer-shaped blossoms. We specialize in these flowers.

**Autumn Glory** The flowers are very large and double.

The outside of the petals is brilliant orange-crimson, and the inside is coppery orange. They are beautifully frilled. (Our introduction.)  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Extra Golden** (The true California Poppy) A robust strain with flowers of rich, pure gold coloring. (Our introduction.) ..... Oz. 40c; pkt. 5c

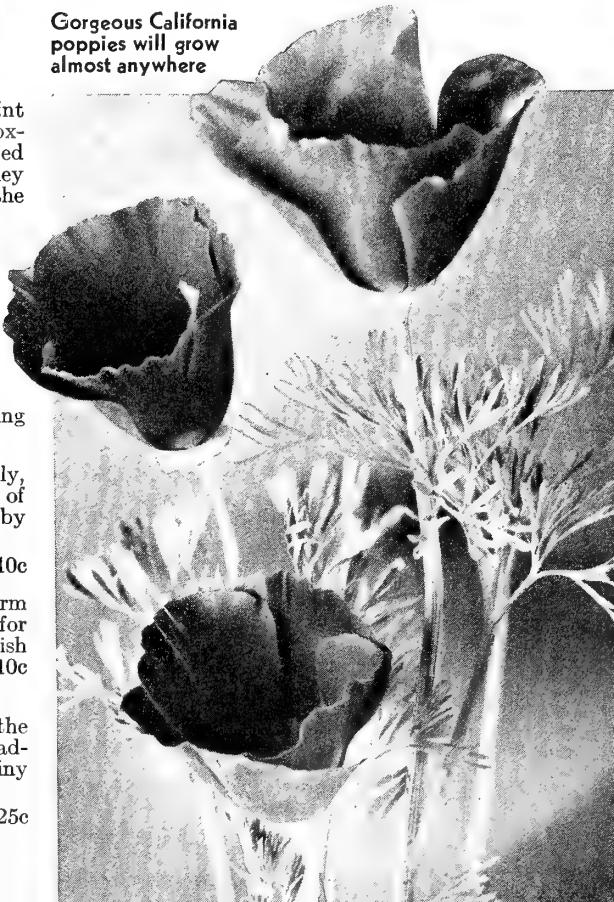
**Ramona** A charming variety with frilled single flowers of a copper-gold color, shading to pink.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Sunlight** A long stemmed plant with many gorgeous flowers of pure canary yellow. (Our introduction.) .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

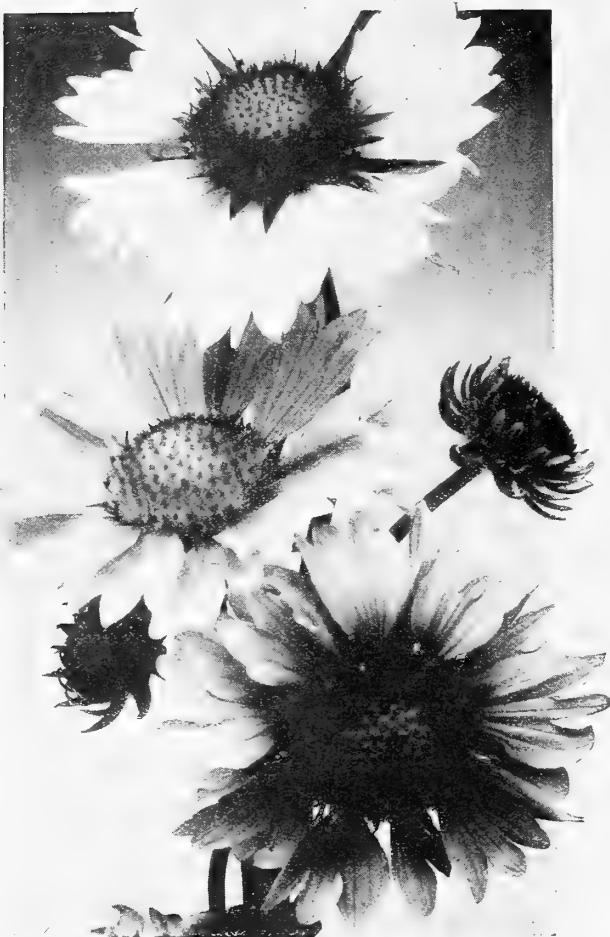
**White** Rich, satiny white..... Oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** A delightful combination of vivid colors ..... Oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

Gorgeous California  
poppies will grow  
almost anywhere



# It's fun to raise Gourds;



**Gaillardias can be depended upon to bloom even during a drought.**

**EUPHORBIA** Plants with colorful foliage are often welcomed in the garden or border to contrast pleasingly with those that have all green leaves or as a change from plants that are grown chiefly for their flowers. These plants are especially good for filling in bare spots in the border.

**Variegata** (Snow-on-the-Mountain) [hA-2 ft.] Strange as it may seem, the original haunts of this plant were on the plains and eastward where not a glimpse of a mountain could be seen. At first the leaves are bright green, but as they become mature they are more and more tinged and margined with silvery white. The plant needs sun, but it grows well in poor and quite dry soil. ½ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Heterophylla** (Annual Poinsettia, Painted Leaf) [hA-2 ft.] As though the plant were on fire is the effect produced by this variety of Euphorbia. In midsummer the upper leaves become tipped with brilliant scarlet, and those at the crown are all bright red. It is a good summer reproduction of our Christmas poinsettia. It can also be cultivated in pots indoors. ¼ oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

**ESCHSCHOLTZIA**, Bush (See Hunnemannia)

**EVENING GLORY** (See Ipomoea)

**EVENING PRIMROSE** (See Oenothera)

**EVENING SCENTED STOCK** (See Matthiola)

**EVERLASTINGS** (See Acroclinium, Globe Amaranth, Heli-chrysum, Rhodanthe, Statice, Xeranthemum)

**FALSE DRAGON HEAD** (See Physostegia)

**FEVERFEW** (See Matricaria)

**FLOSS FLOWER** (See Ageratum)

**FLOWERING SAGE** (See Salvia)

**FORGET-ME-NOT** (See Myosotis)

**FOUR O'CLOCK (Marvel of Peru), Tall** [tP-2 ft.] Treated as an annual, this thrifty family produces plants suitable for growing as a hedge or as a low screen along a fence. The green of the leaves is relieved by a succession of brilliant buds and salver-shaped flowers in a fine range of colors. The flowers have an interesting habit—they open in the late afternoon, remain expanded all night, and close again the next morning in the heat of the sun. They bloom from mid-summer to frost, and their roots may be stored over winter and replanted the following spring.

**Red** ..... Oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** ..... ¼ lb. 50c; pkt. 5c

**Foxglove** (See Digitalis)

**GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower)** Tones of orange, yellow, red, and maroon, often beautifully combined in a single blossom, make these flowering plants gay ornaments of the garden all summer long. The foliage of soft green combines well with the flowers. The blossoms are 2 to 3 inches across. Both the annuals and perennials are favorites for the border.

**Single Picta Mixed** [hA-18 in.] Large daisy-like blossoms of yellow and bronze with central cones of yellow.

**Double Picta Lorenziana Mixed** [hA-18 in.] Globular heads of tubular florets in shades of sulphur, orange, and claret.

Each of the above: ½ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Grandiflora Portola Hybrids** [hP-2 ft.] Semi-double blooms of magnificent size and broad overlapping petals golden tipped around glowing centers of bronzy red.

..... ½ oz. 50c; pkt. 15c

**Grandiflora Mixed** [hP-2 ft.] Large single composite flowers with rich maroon centers circled by orange edges.

..... ½ oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**GERANIUM (Pelargonium)** [tP-2 ft.] Geraniums are usually propagated from cuttings, but they are also readily grown from seed which assures the only means of discovering new varieties. Reds predominate, but soft tints of pink, rose, and white are frequent. In a northern climate the plants should be taken indoors before frost.

**Zonale** Very free blooming with exquisite zoned and variegated leaves. .... Pkt. 10c

**GERBERA (Transvaal Daisy)** [tP-18 in.] South African flower of unusual daintiness. The long stemmed blossoms, 2 to 3 inches across, with their slender waxy petals gracefully curved, rise above a rosette of gray-green leaves. The colors range from pale amber through salmon and rose to a rich ruby red. As a cut flower it always occasions keen interest and favorable comment. The germination of Gerbera seed is uncertain, and the plants require expert handling.

**Jamesoni Hybrids Mixed** ..... Pkt. 25c



You don't need much space for small Gourds.

# they're Ornamental, Useful, and Amusing

**GEUM** [hP-2 ft.] Flowers like little double roses are gracefully poised on long stems over a thick rosette of strawberry-like leaves. The plants are well suited for use in the perennial border and produce an abundance of blooms which are welcomed for bouquets.

**Double Golden Ball** (Lady Stratheden) Handsome rich golden yellow.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 70c; pkt. 15c

**Double Scarlet** (Mrs. Bradshaw) Large dazzling orange scarlet.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**GILIA** [hA-2 ft.] These delightful native flowers from California may be cultivated anywhere. They are rapid growers, are useful in the border, and keep well when cut.

**Capitata**, Lavender Blue (Blue Thimble Flower) Bushy plants with lacy foliage. On long stems they bear flowers similar to Scabiosa in form and of a clear lavender-blue.

**Tricolor** (Bird's Eyes) Dwarf graceful plants with clusters of delicate star-shaped flowers faintly perfumed. Each flower is edged with lavender-blue shading to white toward its purple throat.

Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**GLOBE AMARANTH** (*Gomphrena*, Everlasting) [hA-18 in.] Clover-like blossoms of brilliant purplish-red, soft pink, and white often striped with violet. Flowering from midsummer to late fall they lend themselves to garden design and border work. Like other straw flowers they make admirable winter bouquets.

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**GODETIA** (Satinflower) [hA] This native California plant is especially suited to situations in partial shade and thrives even in rather poor soil. The tall double sorts are suitable for the border and make fine cut flowers which last a long time if gathered before fully expanded. As brilliant low border plants the single sorts are desirable for they carry a mass of blooms. They are easily grown from seed in the open.

**Semi-Dwarf Single** [12 in.] Bushy plants covered with broad petaled cup-shaped flowers two or three inches across and of a rich satiny texture.

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**Tall Double** [2 ft.] Long graceful spikes are decorated with double blossoms resembling satin pompons one above another.

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**GOLDEN MOSS** (See Sedum)

**GOURD** [hA-C-12 ft.] The dense foliage of the vigorous Gourd vine makes it useful for covering arbors, fences, slopes, or unsightly places. The large tubular flowers resemble those of the Pumpkin family to which the plant belongs; they are usually white or yellow. Long ago, the Indians fashioned the hard ripe shells into household utensils, decorating them as they did their pottery.

**Dipper** Easily fashioned into a long handled dipper.

**Dishcloth, or Luffa** The spongy cellular interior fiber makes an excellent scrubbing material as it rinses easily and keeps sweet and clean.

**Hercules' Club** Longest of all varieties, three to four feet; a massive club.

**Mixed** Many small and large fruited kinds.

**Small Fruited Mixed** An assortment of interesting shapes suitable for table decorations and other ornamental purposes.

Any one of the above: Oz. 35c; pkt. 10c.

**GYPSOPHILA** (Baby's Breath) These airy plants are almost devoid of foliage, but their extremely delicate, well branched stalks produce a charming misty effect in the garden. They bear numerous tiny blossoms. They will thrive almost anywhere.

**Elegans Large Flowering White** (Paris Market) [hA-2 ft.] An improved strain with single large pure white flowers. Sow at intervals to maintain a supply throughout the summer..... Oz. 30c; pkt. 5c

**Paniculata Double White** [hP-3 ft.] Superior to the older hardy sorts, producing graceful sprays of tiny rose-shaped flowers. Very desirable for cutting. Still unfixed, but produces a good proportion of doubles. If cut before the flowers are fully open, sprays can be used to give a mist-like appearance to winter bouquets..... Pkt. 25c

**HELIANTHUS** (See Sunflower)

**HELICHRYSUM** (Straw Flower) [hA-2½ ft.] The finest of all Everlastings for the home garden. They are very handsome when growing in the open and make unusually fine winter bouquets if cut when partially opened and dried slowly in a cool place, heads downward to keep the long stems straight. The centers of the double pompon-like flowers are nearly covered by the stiff overlapping petals. They come in a wide range of brilliant and soft colors.

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c



Train the vines over the back fence, or let them clamber up a trellis.

# Good Seeds are always a Bargain

**HELIOTROPE** [tP-2 ft.] In the border the somber green foliage and large clusters of dark blue to deep violet flowers of this fragrant plant lend themselves to pleasing contrasts with the more vivid leaves and blossoms of other plants. It is a rapid grower and from seed started early in spring will make fine flowering plants by early summer, while in a warm climate it will continue to live and bloom all winter.

Dark Varieties Mixed..... $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75c; pkt. 10c

**HESPERIS MATRONALIS (Sweet Rocket)** [hP-18 in.] A hardy old-time favorite because of its delightful fragrance during the evening hours. Of bushy habit it bears spikes with open clusters of four-petaled flowers resembling single Stocks.

Purple	White
Pkts. 10c each	



**HEUCHERA (Coral Bells)** [hP-R-12 in.] An American species of great charm for the low border or the rock garden. The plants make compact low growing mats of deep green leaves, sometimes tinged with white or red, from which rise graceful slender stalks. These are adorned with airy clusters of tiny bell-like flowers of bright coral pink.

Sanguinea (Crimson Rose)..... Pkt. 25c

**HIBISCUS (Mallow)** [hP] Robust growth, luxuriant foliage, and gorgeous saucer-shaped flowers characterize this hardy large-branched plant. A wealth of brilliant showy blossoms, 4 to 6 inches in diameter, are produced from August to frost. The plant does well in almost any situation and is excellent as a tall hedge or background.

Golden Bowl [4 ft.] A splendid large growing variety supplying huge radiant flowers in a light golden hue with velvety centers.

Marvels Mixed [4 ft.] Large, handsome flowers appearing in tones of red, rose, and white.

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

Have you tried  
the lovely double  
Hollyhocks?  
These flowers are  
not particular  
about the kind of  
soil they grow in  
so long as it is  
well drained.

**HOLLYHOCK** [hP] Almost every garden or door-yard has a place for stately Hollyhocks. A tall group among shrubs or evergreens, a row lining a garden wall or fence or with a white cottage as a background, may easily produce an effect for an artist to paint. The dignified stalks provided with many large green leaves are richly adorned with flowers near the top.

**Allegheny** [7 ft.] A particularly tall growing Hollyhock supplying huge semi-double flowers, deeply fringed and frilled at the edges.

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Triumph Mixed** Newest and earliest of Hollyhocks. Flowers semi-double like Allegheny; dwarf in height, but more branching than other dwarf types; wide range of pastel shades.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 10c

**Double** [5 ft.] Our strain of this excellent variety produces extremely double flowers that resemble small Peonies with dainty, closely packed petals.

Crimson	Salmon
Deep Rose	Scarlet
Newport Pink	White

Yellow

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 70c; pkt. 10c

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**HONESTY (See Lunaria)**

**HUMULUS JAPONICUS** [hA-C-15 ft.] Within a few weeks this Japanese Hop will satisfactorily cover some unsightly object or shade a porch. The large deeply lobed leaves with toothed edges have a hairy, rough surface but are beautifully variegated with metallic markings of white and yellow against their vivid green. The plant withstands drought and insect pests.

Variegated Leaved..... Oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**HUNNEMANNIA (Bush Eschscholtzia)** [hA-18 in.] Members of the poppy family rarely make good cut flowers, but this, the Santa Barbara poppy, is an exception. It is also attractive in the border. Bushy in habit, with silvery-green foliage, it bears long-stemmed, cup-shaped flowers, often 3 inches across and pure lemon yellow in color. The blooms continue during the summer and until late fall.

Fumariaefolia.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

**HYACINTH BEAN (See Dolichos)**



This is the "front yard" at Oakview, our Experimental Gardens near Detroit. The border of Hunnemannia along the driveway was a broad band of sunshine all summer long.

**IBERIS (Perennial Candytuft)** [hP-R-8 in.] Hardy Candytuft is a good plant for the rock garden in late spring. It is of spreading habit and is covered with large flat clusters of small lilac flowers shading white toward the centers of the clusters. It is of easy culture, and, while the flower stalks and foliage die down in the winter, the roots lie dormant, sending up a new growth early the following season.

Gibraltarica .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

ICE PLANT (See Mesembryanthemum)

**IPOMOEA** [hA-C-12 ft.] The luxurious rapid growth of this class of climbers recommends them for use as screens over porches and arbors. Their foliage is dense, of varying shades of green, and the leaves of certain sorts are of great size. The flowers resemble those of the Morning Glory, but are usually much larger, and in a broad range of delicate colorings. To hasten the germination, soak the seed for several hours before planting.

Bona Nox (Evening Glory) A stout, twining variety with broad, smooth leaves and delightful violet-hued flowers that remain open during the evening... Oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

Grandiflora Alba (Moon Flower) A vine that surpasses all others of its class in size and beauty of flowers. These are extremely large, pure white, and sweet scented. The flowers open each evening, to bloom until morning..... Oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

Heavenly Blue (Early Flowering Sky Blue) This remarkable vine grows rapidly and supplies a quantity of huge, dark green, glossy leaves. The blossoms are clear sky blue with cream-colored throats. (See illustration, page 71).....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 10c

Imperialis Large Flowered Mixed (Japanese Morning Glory) One of the handsomest of all Morning Glories. The plant grows very quickly and supplies handsome foliage which is only surpassed by the beauty of the flowers. These attain a large size and appear in a wide range of radiant colors and with odd markings.... Oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

Setosa (Brazilian Morning Glory) Clusters of pretty blue or purple flowers appear on this large growing vine. Each blossom bears a pink star in its center... Oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

IPOMOEA QUAMOCЛИT (See Cardinal Climber and Cypress Vine)

JACK-AND-THE-BEAN-STALK (See Kudzu Vine)

JAPANESE BELL FLOWER (See Platycodon)

JAPANESE HOP (See Humulus)

**JOB'S TEARS (Coix Lachryma)** [hA-12 in.] The narrow cornlike leaves of this odd ornamental grass bear numerous little sprays of flowers. These soon form seeds which are the most interesting part of the plant. The seeds have a hard lustrous coat of a slaty color, and years ago they were much used for stringing as beads. In arranging bouquets, the leafy stems are attractive as greenery with flowers that have little foliage of their own.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; pkt. 10c

JOSEPH'S COAT (See Amaranthus Tricolor)

**KAULFUSSIA** [hA-10 in.] Gracefully poised on long stems, the intense blue blossoms of this African plant make a pleasing effect in beds or borders. The single aster-like flowers,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches across, with drooping petals, are freely produced for several weeks in midsummer. The plant thrives in medium rich soil in a sunny situation.

Amelloides..... Pkt. 10c

**KOCHIA (Mexican Fire Bush, Summer Cypress)** [hA- $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft.] The symmetry and attractive appearance of this hedge plant make it a favorite with the home gardener. The moss-like foliage remains clear, bright green until frost, when it turns to a beautiful bronze red. The plants grow easily in moderately rich soil.

Childsi..... Oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**KUDZU VINE (Pueraria Thunbergiana, Jack-and-the-Bean-Stalk)** [hP-C-30 ft.] This great vine will attain a height of 8 to 10 feet the first season. When once established it may grow from 40 to 50 feet in a season. The large, bright green leaves afford excellent shade, and the climber is further embellished with small clusters of rosy pea-shaped flowers. It will thrive in the poorest soil... Oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

### It's a Fine Idea

▲ ▲ ▲ To use vines for screens,  
background, and shade as well  
as for beauty and charm.

# Plan to have Flowers in Bloom

LACE FERN (See Asparagus, Plumosus Nanus)

LADY'S SLIPPER (See Balsam)

**LANTANA** [tP-2 ft.] A Brazilian shrub that makes a splendid display the first season from seed. Above the large somber green leaves verbena-like clusters of fragrant flowers rise in prolonged succession. In a single cluster all the shades of crimson, rose, yellow, and orange appear.

**Hybrida Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**LARKSPUR** [hA-3 ft.] Annual Delphiniums are adorned with finely cut, feathery foliage of soft green which sets off to advantage the handsome long floral spikes of double blossoms. The colors are very satisfying, for they range from pure white through soft shades of lavender and pink to deep blue. They bloom from early summer until fall.

## Double Tall Stock Flowered

**Branching Sorts** The following varieties with lateral branches are quite spreading, but they produce many fine spikes.

Dark Blue or Purple	Pink (Rosamond)
Lustrous Carmine	Sky Blue
Pink	White

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** ..... Oz. 50c; pkt. 5c

**Rose Queen** A new and distinct shade of bright rose pink. (See page 49 for further description.) ..... Pkt. 25c

**Upright Class (Imperial)** This newer form produces plants of erect habit, branching from the base, affording longer stems for cutting.

**Blue Spire**      **Exquisite Pink Improved**      **Los Angeles Improved**

**White Spire** (Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society.)

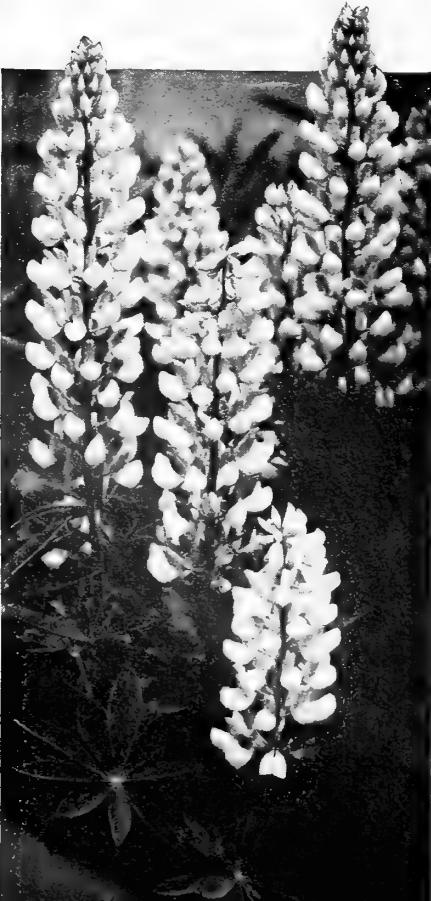
**Mixed**

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 15c

**Giant Hyacinth Flowered** A type producing single large tapering spikes closely packed with double blossoms.

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

Lupins like plenty of moisture and some shade.



This is Rose Queen, our outstandingly



**LATHYRUS, Latifolius (Perennial Sweet Pea)** [hP-C-5 ft.]

This sturdy vine with luxuriant pea-like foliage bears handsome flowers, also pea-shaped, in large clusters of 8 or 10 each; they are somewhat thick and waxy in appearance. The vine may be trained upon a support, but it is also well adapted to scramble over rocks and other rugged places. The plants bloom for a long period, although in a northern latitude they die at frost to renew growth in the spring.

**Crimson**      **Pink Beauty**

**White**

Any one of the above:  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**LAVATERA (Annual Mallow)** [hA-3 ft.] The showy flowers and large downy leaves of these annual Mallows produce a decorative effect in hedges or borders. The large cup-shaped blooms, two to three inches across, are borne on short stems in the axils of the upper leaves. They bloom profusely during the entire summer and make long-keeping cut flowers. In habit they are rather spreading, but this is an advantage as they may be sown late to fill a vacant spot following spring flowers.

**Splendens Rosea** Bright rose pink flowers.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

# from Spring to Late Fall

beautiful new Larkspur.

**LAVENDER (Lavandula Vera)** [hP-2 ft.] This is the lavender our grandmothers grew and dried. It is a pleasing addition to the home garden, too, because of the feathery gray foliage, the little lavender flowers, and the dainty fragrance. A native of dry, sandy wastes, this plant may easily be cultivated in any garden soil. (See *Lavandula spica*, page 47.) ..... Pkt. 10c

**LINUM** The flax family numbers several varieties with such brilliant flowers that they deserve a place in the home garden. While the life of the individual flowers is short, the continued succession prolongs the blooming season through the summer. Suitable for growing in beds or low borders.

**Grandiflorum Rubrum** (Scarlet Flax) [hA-18 in.] Produces clusters of saucer-shaped flowers of a glossy bright red with dark centers. Oz. 40c

**Perenne Blue** [hP-18 in.] Of graceful form with arching stems carrying small sky-blue blossoms veined darker blue and with light centers. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c

Pkts. 10c each

**LINARIA** This interesting species bears flowers which resemble miniature Snapdragons ending in single elongated spurs. It includes both trailing and erect growing varieties which are little known but worthy of greater attention.

**Maroccana Mixed** [hA-15 in.] This is an erect sort with finely cut foliage and with blossoms clustered on upright spikes. The colors which are varied embrace many shades of crimson, orange, and blue. Usually the lower lip is white which accentuates the other colors. The plant is in flower within two months from sowing; it is valuable for the border and for cutting, too. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Fairy Bouquet Mixed** [hA-10 in.] Much more compact than other Maroccana strains. The neat little plants are excellent for edgings and suitable for rock gardens. We particularly recommend this new variety. .... Pkt. 15c

**LOBELIA** Everyone who has planted Lobelias in his garden knows how effective they are. Varieties differ in color and habit, but all of them bear dainty flowers somewhat like tiny butterflies in form. The annuals because of their low growth and compactness of foliage are invaluable for edgings and for use in rock gardens. They are covered with flowers for a long season.

**Celestial or True Blue** [hA-4 in.] The finest variety with green foliage. The flowers are bright blue with tiny white throats.

**Crystal Palace Compacts** [hA-4 in.] Plants with dark stems and leaves tinged with reddish brown. An effective contrast with green foliage. The flowers are deep blue.

Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75c; pkt. 10c



The glowing blossoms of Scarlet Flax add gracefulness and a splash of color to the garden.

**LILIMUM, Regale** [hP-3 ft.] Lilies from seed will furnish flowers the second season and thereafter. Occasionally in a mild climate they bloom the first year. This variety is one of the finest in existence. The delightfully scented trumpet-shaped flowers are white, slightly tinged with pink, and flushed yellow at the throat. .... Pkt. 15c

**LOVE-IN-A-MIST** (See *Nigella*)

**LOVE-IN-A-PUFF** (See *Balloon Vine*)

**LOVE-LIES-BLEEDING** (See *Amaranthus Caudatus*)

**LUNARIA (Honesty, St. Peter's Penny, Money Plant)** [hB- $\frac{1}{2}$  ft.] Oval seed pods, translucent and silvery, have given this unusual plant its whimsical common names. Sprays of it are ornamental with straw flowers in winter bouquets, and it is chiefly for this purpose that it is cultivated. It is a biennial, but it may be treated as an annual if the seed is sown early.

**Biennis** ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**LUPIN** The foliage of all varieties of Lupin is in the form of many lance-like rays about a common center. Pea-shaped blossoms are compactly placed on upright tapering spikes. The plants prefer a semi-shaded spot, and should be sown where they are to remain.

**Hartwegii** [hA-2 ft.] Branching in habit, this class forms many fine large flowered spikes and is the best annual type for cutting.

**Dark Blue Light Blue Mixed**  
Any one of the above: Oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Texensis** [hA-12 in.] The wild Blue Bonnet of Texas, particularly useful in dry situations. .... Oz. 30c; pkt. 5c

**Polyphyllus Mixed** [hP-3 ft.] This beautiful hardy type is taller than the annual varieties. It produces a continuous succession of noble spikes in a wide range of colors. ....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**MALLOW** (See *Hibiscus, Lavatera*)

# Fill dull spots in the Perennial Border

**MARIGOLD** [hA] Late in the season when many other growing things are past their prime, these plants supply an abundance of decorative blossoms. Their tones of orange and yellow blend well when the flowers are arranged loosely in bowls and vases. The bright green foliage is finely cut, and the stems are stout. Tall Marigolds give charm to the border, while the dwarfs are valuable for bedding and make ideal edging plants.

**African Tall Double (Tagetes erecta)** [2½ ft.] Very large globular flowers composed of compact tubular or quilled petals. The stems should be cut carefully to avoid the somewhat disagreeable odor when bruised.

**Lemon Queen** Clear lemon yellow.

**Orange Prince** Rich, deep orange.

Each of the above: ¼ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** Pleasing combination of the above varieties to produce a rich effect... ½ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c



The petals of Yellow Supreme (right) are somewhat more fluffy than those of Guinea Gold (left). You'll like the shades of yellow and gold together in your garden.

**Guinea Gold (African)** [2 ft.] Carnation-like petals and unusually brilliant golden color make this flower outstanding among Marigolds. It lacks much of the pungent odor of other Marigolds. The plant blooms very freely, and practically all of the flowers are double. ¼ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Yellow Supreme (African)** [26 in.] This is the newest of the Marigolds. The fluffy flowers of light golden yellow are double and semi-double, with petals broad and loose. The inner petals are shorter, curving in slightly so that the center is partly covered. The foliage is dark green with paler green stems. This Marigold does not have the odor which is disagreeable to some people; it is even slightly fragrant.... ¼ oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Gold Medal Blend** A combination of Guinea Gold and Yellow Supreme. They are delightful together in a flower border. .... Pkt. 5c

**French (Tagetes patula)** This Marigold is more floriferous than the African, but bears smaller flowers. As a rule, instead of being quilled the petals are flat and overlapping. They are often two-toned, which adds to their beauty.

**Tall Double** [2½ ft.] These are useful for border decoration and produce handsome cut flowers.

Dark Brown	Gold Striped	Lemon	Orange
		Mixed	

Any one of the above: ½ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Dwarf Double** [10 in.] These are the most noteworthy of the French strains, and the symmetrically rounded plants have few equals for bedding and edging. The blooming period is long, and the brilliant shades of the well-formed flowers stand out strikingly against the dark foliage.

Gold Striped	Golden Ball	Maroon
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Any one of the above: ½ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

Mixed		½ oz. 35c; pkt. 10c
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**Harmony** Distinctly different in form and color of flowers. Cushion-like center of flower composed of golden orange disc petals, fluted and deeply cut. This is surrounded by four or five rows of brilliantly contrasting reddish-brown outside petals. Blooms early and flowers profusely until hard frost.... Pkt. 25c

**Monarch Strain** Large, fully double flowers. Mostly mahogany, striped or edged with golden yellow. A highly selected strain.... ½ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Dwarf Single** [8 in.] This variety is quite similar in habit and usefulness to the dwarf double sorts except that each blossom has a single row of petals of rich golden yellow, beautifully blotched at the center with a clean edged spot of velvety garnet.

Legion of Honor		½ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c
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**Tagetes Signata Pumila** An ideal edging plant. It has finely cut foliage and many brilliant, star-like yellow blossoms. You will enjoy it immensely in your flower border. ⅛ oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**MARVEL OF PERU** (See Four o'clock)

**MATRICARIA (Feverfew)** [hP-2 ft.] If sown early, this, the real perennial Feverfew, will bloom promptly the first season. The plants are erect and bushy with finely cut dark green foliage. The double button-like flowers are dainty white and grow in terminal clusters; they are excellent for cutting. The plants are attractive in the garden, too, and bloom all summer long.

Capensis		½ oz. 50c; pkt. 10c
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**MATTHIOLA (Evening Scented Stock)** [hA-15 in.] Sweet perfume during the twilight hours or following a shower where these plants grow is sufficient reason for including them in every garden. They bear many small mauve-colored flowers resembling those of single Stocks.

Bicornis		Oz. 50c; pkt. 10c
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# with Bright Annuals

**MESEMBRYANTHEMUM** In their native homes these plants are found growing luxuriantly in barren rocky places and dry sand because they store up moisture in their succulent stems and thick foliage. For this reason and because they are low-growing, they are well adapted for use on dry banks and in sunny situations in rock gardens.

**Crystallinum** (Ice Plant) [hA-6 in.] The foliage of this plant sparkles like ice crystals, making it very ornamental as it trails over the ground. The flowers are small and pinkish white, and their slender petals look as though they might be made of fine glass. In Northern climates the seed should be started indoors, and the young plants set out only when the weather is warm. . ½ oz. 35c; pkt. 10c.

**Tricolor** (Dew Plant) [hA-6 in.] The flowers of this variety are larger than those of Crystallinum and more attractive on account of their crimson, pink, and white shadings which appear in circles around a central disc of deeper coloring. The plant makes an excellent ground cover, especially in the South. .... Pkt. 10c

**MIGNONETTE** [hA-12 in.] Its delicious scent has given great popularity to this modest plant which the French have named "Little Darling." The vigorous branches clothed in dark green leaves are quite spreading, and they bear cone-shaped spikes of unassuming blossoms useful in combination with showier cut flowers that lack fragrance. The plants do well in full sun, but they also thrive in partial shade.

## **Red Goliath**      **Golden Goliath**

Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Machet**..... $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 5c

**MIMOSA (Sensitive Plant)** [hA-12 in.] Leaves that droop and fold at the slightest touch make this plant an interesting addition either to the outdoor summer garden or to the inside window garden in winter. The phenomenon also takes place naturally each night and in damp weather. The plant bears small rosy-lilac blossoms which are as dainty as the fern-like foliage.

**Pudica** ..... Pkt. 10c

**MOMORDICA** [hA-C-10 ft.] Festooned over a trellis, the lacy foliage of this climber furnishes an excellent background for the yellow flowers which are followed by peculiar dangling fruits. These are irregularly furrowed, warty, and green when young. As they mature, they turn brilliant yellow and when ripe burst open to disclose the pulp spotted with blood red seeds.

**Balsam Apple** (*Balsamina*) Vine somewhat smaller than that of Balsam Pear; fruits nearly spherical.

**Balsam Pear** (*Charantia*) Bears cylindrical elongated fruits.  
In the young state these are sometimes boiled and eaten.

## Mixed Apple and Pear

Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

## Moon Flower (See *Ipomoea*)

**MORNING GLORY (Convolvulus Major)** (See also Ipomoea) [hA-C-10 ft.] Picture your garden fence covered with the dewy foliage and blossoms of a superior Morning Glory in the early summer mornings. The heart-shaped leaves are of fine green color, and the multitudes of trumpet-shaped flowers come in beautiful clear colors. They close about noon but open the next morning in all their splendor.

## Blue Crimson

Each of the above: Pkt. 10c

**Mixed**.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c; pkt. 5c

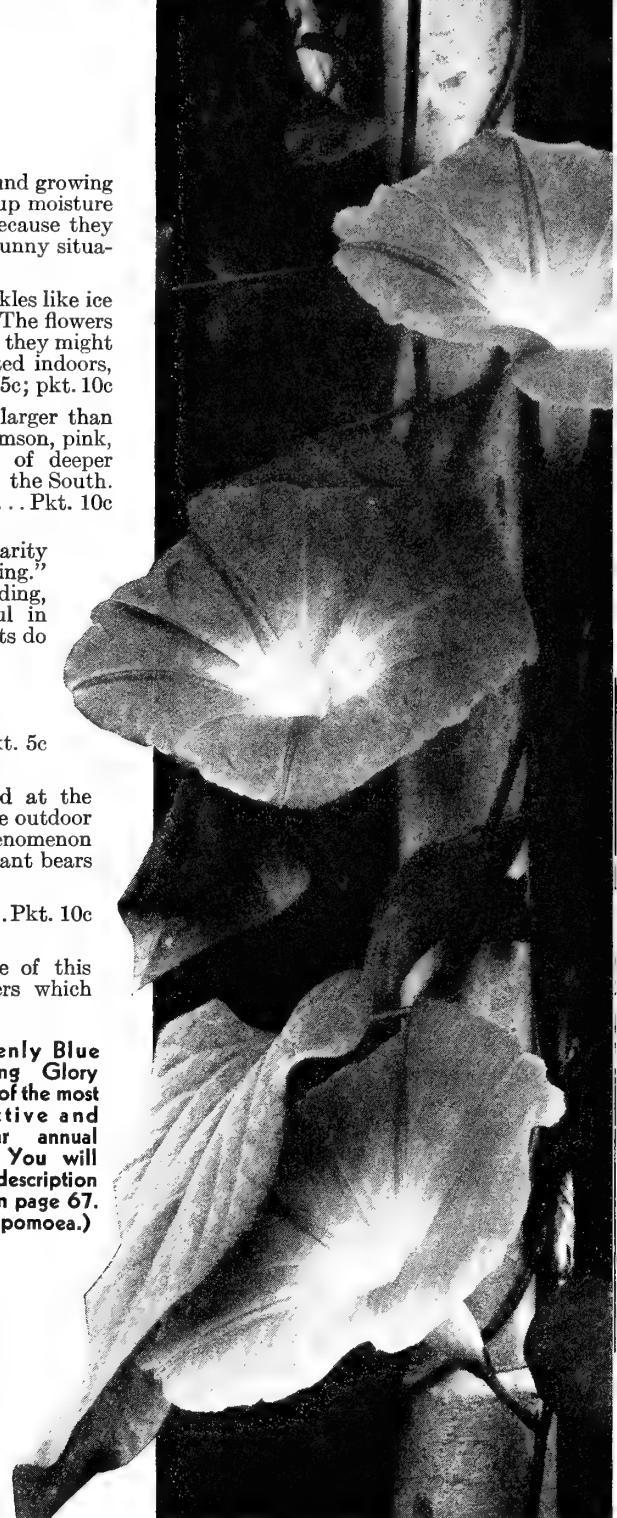
MORNING GLORY, HEAVEN

Moss Rose (See Portulaca.)

**MYOSOTIS** (*Forget-me-not*) [hh-P-R-8 in.] While this charming spring flower will grow in the open border, there is some partially shaded damp spot in almost every garden where it will flourish and be a joy. The Alpine variety which we offer is of rather spreading habit with velvety leaves, above which rise the pretty floral clusters of dainty five-petaled blossoms. The flowers, a clear Wedgwood blue with tiny yellowish eyes, are borne in profusion. Start early for flowers the first season or sow in summer for blooms the following spring.

**Alpestris Blue** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Heavenly Blue Morning Glory** is one of the most attractive and popular annual vines. You will find a description of it on page 67. (See Ipomoea.)



**NEMOPHILA** [hA-6 in.] This is a native wild flower from the California woods, but it does well under almost all conditions in other parts of the country. It is quite spreading in growth. The divided leaves of the little plants are bright green and hairy and are covered with saucer-shaped blossoms about an inch across. They are useful in low beds or as a ground cover in patches. Seed should be sown in the open ground where the plants are to remain.

**Insignis Blue** (Baby Blue Eyes) A beautiful sky blue, shading lighter toward the center.....  
16 oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

# Touches of Gold

**NASTURTIUM (Tropaeolum)** [hhA] When some visitor, returning from Peru, introduced Nasturtiums to gardeners he conferred a great blessing, for today it is one of our foremost flowering plants. It starts to bloom at an early stage, and for length of blossoming period it has no equal providing the flowers are picked before seed is formed. The odd-shaped flowers are well liked for cutting. The circular leaves should always be used with the blossoms in bouquets. With the exception of blue, the color range is complete.

## Single

**Dwarf** [12 in.] These low-growing, bushy Nasturtiums are often called "Tom Thumb." They form symmetrical plants of uniform stature well suited for edgings or borders.

**Mixed**.2 oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; lb. \$1.25; pkt. 10c

**Tall or Trailing** [18 in. tall or 5 ft. trailing] These climbing or running plants are chiefly of the "Lobbianum" class which produces flowers of better form and larger than the common tall or "Majus" varieties. They are admirably adapted to covering a fence or trellis or to droop over a retaining wall.

**Tall Mixed**..... $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c; pkt. 5c

**Trailing Mixed**.....2 oz. 25c; pkt. 10c

## Semi-Double

**Golden Gleam** [15 in. tall or 3 ft. trailing] This was the first double or semi-double Nasturtium to come true from seed. The fragrant golden yellow blossoms, carried on long stems, are attractive as cut flowers, and the somewhat trailing plants are ornamental in any garden. You will be astonished at the wealth of blossoms the plants produce. Several thousand from one packet of seed have been reported by some of our customers. The most satisfactory of the semi-double Nasturtiums.....

.....Oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

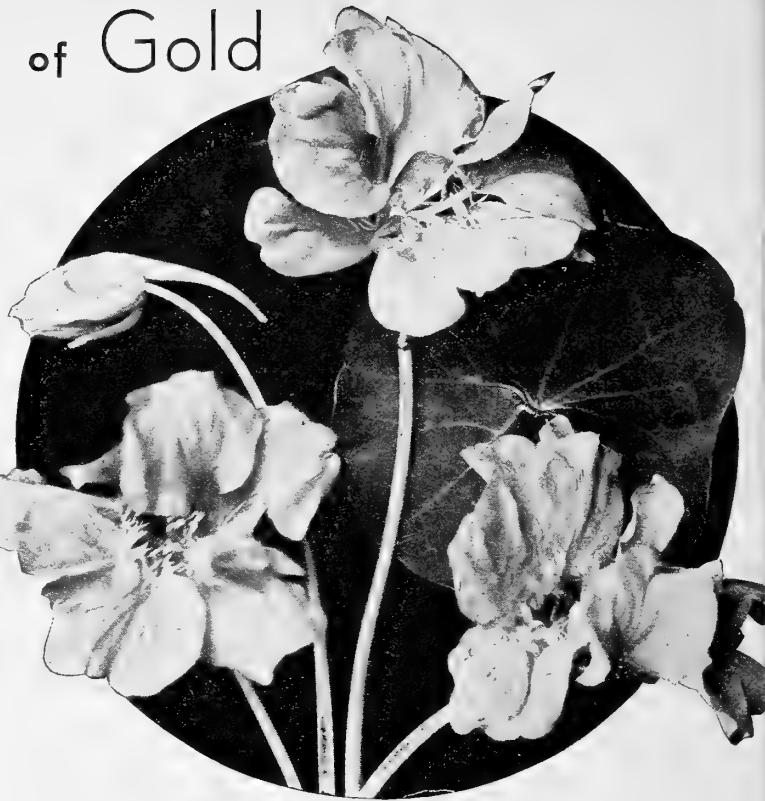
**Scarlet Gleam** [15 in. tall or 3 ft. trailing] This flower is the sister of Golden Gleam. Its semi-double blossoms are similar in size and shape to those of the popular golden Nasturtium. Its color is brilliant scarlet. Some singles among the blossoms.....Oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**Gleam Hybrids** [15 in. tall or 3 ft. trailing] Hues of salmon, rose, yellow, primrose, and red are some of the colors of these new semi-double Nasturtiums. They are bright, free blooming, and very pretty. Some singles among the blossoms.

**Mixed**.....2 oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Golden Globe** [12 in.] The dwarf, compact form of Golden Gleam, with the same sunshiny yellow flowers. The small plants are well rounded. Useful for beds or border edging and fine for cut flowers. Deliciously fragrant. (See page 48.)

..... $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c; pkt. 10c



One of the most satisfactory of all Nasturtiums—  
Golden Gleam.

**NEMESIA** [hA] This is an excellent edging plant, not so well known nor so generally used as it should be. The bushy plants send up countless slender stalks crowned with flowers. The blossoms are dainty and fairy-like, something like those of Schizanthus, and often the lower part of the flower contrasts in color with the upper part. They may be trimmed back as they fade, and usually they will flower again the same season.

**Compacta Blue Gem** [8 in.] A striking variety with clear Forget-me-not blue flowers..... $\frac{1}{6}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 15c

**Compacta Triumph Mixed** [8 in.] A brilliant blend containing almost every color of the spectrum from deepest red through orange, yellow, and blue to dark purple. Of tidy habit.....Pkt. 10c

**Grandiflora Suttoni Mixed** [12 in.] These plants and flowers are larger than those of Compacta, and the plants are slightly more spreading. The lower lobes of the blossoms are often beautifully spotted. The colors are chiefly in warm tones of red, yellow, and orange..... $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 15c

**NICOTIANA** [hhA-2 ft.] You will have rare perfume in the garden both morning and evening as well as fine decoration in the border if you plant this airy member of the Tobacco family. The graceful stems, slightly branching, rise above the leaves of vivid green and bear clusters of gay blossoms. The flowers are like long horns with five flaring lobes.

**Affinis Hybrids** A variety of colors including white, lavender, purple, rose, and red..... $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

# and some excellent Choices in Blue

**NIGELLA (Love-in-a-mist)** [hA-18 in.] Soft feathery foliage which partly conceals the blossoms has surrounded this plant with a bit of mystery. The petals form a rosette with toothed edges, in the center of which is a dome-shaped pistil with stamens crooked fantastically above it and a wreath of mossy green fibers around it. The plant will grow from seed sown in the open ground.

**Damascena** (Miss Jekyll) A lovely variety with cornflower-blue, coquettish flowers on long stems.. Oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**OENOTHERA (Evening Primrose)** [hB-2½ ft.] A twilight blooming plant. Flowers of brilliant yellow are often three inches across. Clusters of them decorate the tops of upright spikes which are arranged in the form of a candelabra.

**Lamarckiana** ..... ½ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**PAINTED DAISY** (See Pyrethrum)

**PAINTED TONGUE** (See Salpiglossis)



Large flowers and unusually attractive colorings—  
you will find them both in the Pansy strains  
we offer.

**PANSY** [hA-8 in.] Gardeners who want Pansies that are really good must choose their seed with unusual care. It takes many years to develop perfect strains and great care to keep them stable. In the several strains which we offer, to suit different uses and different purses, it is our aim to approach the ideal plant. This ideal is robust and compact with handsome foliage. It should bear an abundance of five-petaled flowers of fine velvety texture, circular in outline, on stiff stems.

**Trimardeau** A large flowering class with well rounded flowers. Normally, the upper two petals are of the same single color, contrasting with another shade in the three lower petals which are beautifully blotched. An excellent bedding mixture in many colors, chiefly the rich darker shades..... ¼ oz. 60c; pkt. 10c

**Steele's Mastodon** A vigorous Oregon type, particularly desirable for cutting as the plants are taller and have longer stems. Esteemed in California for bedding. A fine blend for bright effects..... Pkt. 25c

**Large Flowered** Incorrectly called "Trimardeau" by many people. The flowers are of good size and shape, superior to the usual English bedding Pansies which normally have smaller and less well formed flowers.

**Black** An intense velvety jet black.

**Emperor William** Fine indigo blue with deeper blue center.

**Lord Beaconsfield** Lower petals purple; upper petals white, flushed lavender.

**Purple** Rich violet purple.

**White** Splendid large flowers, glistening pure white.

**Yellow** A very popular, clear golden yellow.

Any one of the above: ¼ oz. 80c; pkt. 10c

**Choice Mixed** A special mixture of fine sorts in a wide range of colors, shades, and markings. ¼ oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Superb Mixed** Bright colors, large flowers, compact plants; a very practical mixture for bedding..... ⅛ oz. 65c; pkt. 10c

**Maple Leaf Giants** This is an entirely distinct type of Pansy. It has the largest flowers and the most vigorous plants we have ever seen. Mixed colors..... Pkt. 50c

**Swiss Giant or Roggli** Within the last few years the blossoms of this strain have been remarkably improved in every way. The plants are compact in habit and they produce immense circular flowers for a long blooming season.

**Berna** Deep blue.

**Lake of Thun, Ullswater** Blue with blotches of much deeper shade.

**Alpenglow** Rich garnet tones with handsome markings.

**Rhinegold** Golden petals and striking deep brown blotches.

Any one of the above: ¼ oz. \$1.00; pkt. 50c

**Mixed** A collection of the richest colors and markings known in Pansies..... ¼ oz. 60c; pkt. 25c

**Geneva Super Giants** Our own reselection of the Swiss Giant or Roggli type. Mammoth flowers of heavy texture, long stems, and unequaled colors..... Pkt. 50c

The airy, graceful blue flowers of Nigella  
deserve to be better known.





# Petunias

• • • Gay and  
Enduring

What flowers succeed under more unfavorable conditions than Petunias? And what flowers lend themselves to more uses? When massed in beds they truly form "a sea of color." As low border plants they are kaleidoscopic in their shades and tints. In window boxes or overhanging a terrace wall they are brilliant trailers. They make good house plants too, the fringed and double flowering varieties supplying magnificent blossoms. These low-spreading plants with their trumpet flowers love the sunshine, they often bloom within two months after seed is sown, and when frost comes they will still be making a brave display. [hA]

**Hybrida** [2 ft.] Bushy plants of great value for massing in beds or grouping in the border to replace early spring flowers. While the single flowers are not particularly large, their great number makes a gorgeous show.

#### Large Flowered:

**Flaming Velvet** An improved Crimson King. Flowers larger, brighter, and richer in color.

**Rose King Improved** Deep clear rose pink. Flowers large and plentiful.

Each of the above: Pkt. 25c

**White King** A very showy clear, snow-white...  
.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

#### Regular Size:

**Blue King** Quite unusual in color, royal blue.

**Crimson King** Almost a pure crimson.

**Howard's Star** Crimson with pure white star.

**Rose King** Deep rose with a light throat.

**Violet King** A rich deep violet of velvety substance.

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

**Superb Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Choice Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 5c

**Nana Erecta** [14 in.] As an edging, or for dotting the front of a border, these low growers with their dainty petite single blossoms are superb. The plants bear bountifully.

**Celestial Rose** Flowers of deeper pink than Rosy Morn and plants more evenly compact ..... Pkt. 25c

**Heavenly Blue** An excellent silvery, sky-blue.

**Rose of Heaven** Bright rose.

**Rosy Morn** Rosy pink with large white throat.

Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 70c; pkt. 15c

**Giant Ruffled and Fringed** [14 in.] These single blossoms are immense. Because of the vigor that goes into the blossoms, the plants themselves are often relatively small. The flowers are all gracefully fringed or ruffled at the flaring edge of their trumpets. They come in colors that are rich and gorgeous and are usually delicately veined inside their wide open throats.

**Theodosia** Soft rosy pink with veined yellow throat.. Pkt. 50c

**Mixed** ..... Pkt. 25c

**Hybrida Petunias** are not so large flowered as some of the other varieties, but their profusion of bloom gives a wonderful effect. This border is edged with dainty Alyssum procumbens.

**Balcony or Trailing** [15 in.] To droop over the edge of a window box or to overhang a terrace, these are the best Petunias to select. They differ from the bushy varieties by producing longer, more spreading plants. In their several colors the single flowers are very gay, either alone or in combination. Larger flowered than the Hybrida type.

**Blue** Deep violet blue.    **Rose** Vivid rosy pink.

**White** Satin white.    **Mixed**

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 55c; pkt. 15c

**Giants of California Mixed** [13 in.] The largest single Petunias known. Many are charmingly frilled; some have plain wavy edges in a wide range of colors; all have beautifully veined interiors..... Pkt. 25c

**Dwarf Giants of California Mixed** [10 in.] These flowers are very large and open-throated, and they come in a wide range of colors. The plants are compact in habit. They are more suitable for window box or pot plants than for garden use..... Pkt. 50c

**Maximum Double Fringed** Practically 100 per cent double and mostly giant flowered in our trials.

**Mixed** [12 in.] ..... Pkt. 75c

**Dwarf Mixed** [10 in.] ..... Pkt. \$1.25

# Phlox, too, in a Riot of Shades

**PASSIFLORA (Passion Flower)** [tP-15 ft.] In the mild climate of our Southern States and in parts of California, this climber is of rapid luxuriant growth and quite hardy. In northern latitudes it is a pretty vine for growing in a pot indoors, or for setting out in a sunny spot with southern exposure in summer to be trained on strings or a trellis. The five-lobed pointed leaves are graceful and of a rich dark green. They make a good background for the curiously formed flowers around which centers an interesting American legend. Each flower, about two inches across, is a ten-pointed star with a central fringed ruff and elaborate pistil and stamens. The blossoms are delicate sky blue.

**Coerulea Grandiflora, Southern Beauty** ..... Pkt. 10c

PASSION FLOWER (See Passiflora)

PELARGONIUM (See Geranium)

PERIWINKLE (See Vinca)

PERENNIAL SWEET PEA (See Lathyrus)

**PENTSTEMON (Beard Tongue)** [hP-2 ft.] Though a perennial, this plant will bloom freely the first season if started early inside and transplanted outdoors when the Tulips have passed. The plants produce numerous upright stalks, with little tendency to become ragged in appearance; they possess shiny green leaves and bear large spikes of gayly colored tubular flowers. The blossoms with their flaring lobes come in a wide range of colors, and their light colored throats are often beautifully spotted. A continuity of bloom is maintained during a long period.

Gloxinoideis Mixed .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 15c

**PHACELIA** [hA-8 in.] Blue flowering plants are always welcome. This low-growing sort is a desirable plant for edgings and for rock gardens. It is compact, has rich green foliage, and bears a wealth of spreading bell-shaped flowers in clusters. In color they are a vivid gentian blue relieved at the throats by prominent white anthers. They are among the earliest of annual bloomers and last throughout the summer.

Campanularia .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

PHEASANT'S EYE (See Adonis)

**PHLOX DRUMMONDI** [hA-12 in.] Early Texas settlers were delighted with the wild Phlox that made the landscape vivid with color. From these American wild flowers have come the splendid varieties of today. By selection and breeding, modern Phlox drummondi has become more regular and compact in habit, the blossoms have become larger and better in shape, and the clusters more dense and symmetrical. Today the plants bear many broad clusters of large five-petaled flowers. For variety of bright fresh colorings they are unequalled, and they flower freely during the entire summer.

Chamois Rose Maroon Pink (Carnea) Scarlet

Scarlet, White Eye Violet White Yellow

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** The best large flowered varieties, unexcelled for profusion of bloom and well blended in a wide range of brilliant colors .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

Dwarf Mixed .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Star Mixed** The petals of these flowers have fringed or toothed edges, darker centers, and margins of a different shade, giving them the appearance of twinkling stars. Otherwise, they are similar to the large flowering kinds. .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**PHYSALIS (Chinese Lantern)** [hP-18 in.] Suggestive of the Orient are the orange red colors of this Japanese plant. The flaming lanterns are unique in form. Ranged as they are along stiff stems they are effective for winter decoration in the house. Either with silvery Lunaria or with perennial Baby's Breath (*Gypsophila paniculata*), they are of special beauty. Pods do not usually develop until the second year, but the small yellow and brown flowers are unobtrusively pleasing, and Physalis is a valuable addition to any perennial border. The plants grow easily from seed and tend to self-sow.

Franchetti .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

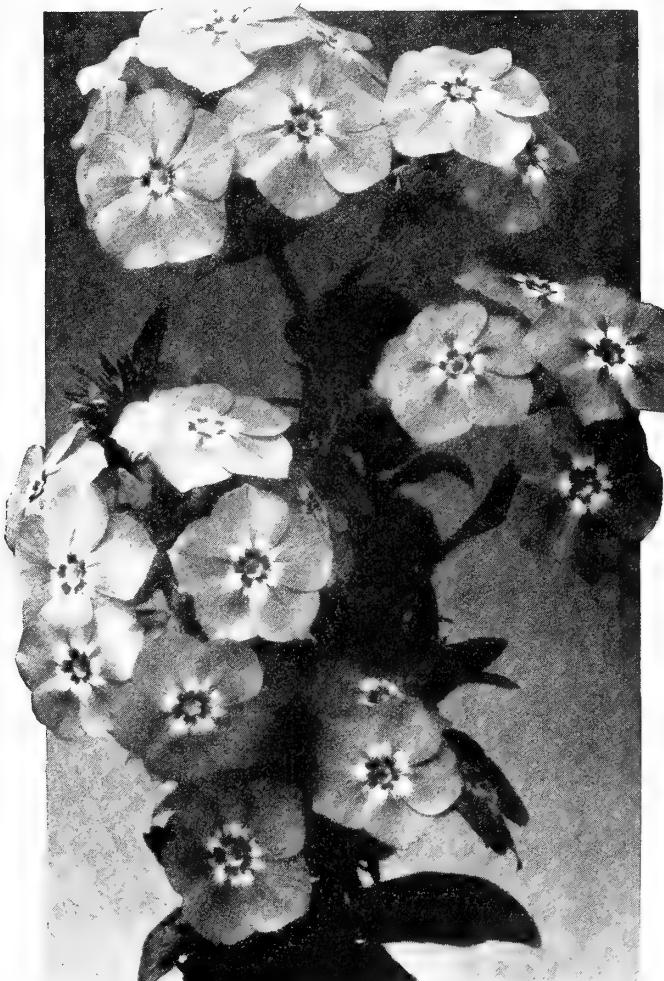
**PHYSOSTEGIA (False Dragon Head)** [hP-3 ft.] In mid-summer when hardy borders often lack bloom, this perennial comes into flower. From the spreading roots rise many erect, slender, wand-like stems decorated with narrow pointed leaves. Terminally they carry tapering floral spikes 6 to 8 inches long, bearing rows of small tubular blossoms set on four sides of the stem. The individual florets slightly resemble the Snapdragons and are a delightful shade of rosy lilac. An effective border plant and desirable for cutting.

Virginica .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

PIN CUSHION FLOWER (See Scabiosa)

PINKS (See Dianthus)

PIQUERIA TRINERVA (See Stevia)



Grow a rainbow in your garden by using the various colors of this lovely annual, Phlox Drummondi.

# Just picture these Poppies in Your Garden!

**PLATYCODON** (Japanese Bell Flower) [hP-18 in.] Above the silvery green foliage of this summer blooming perennial rise several slender stalks ending in handsome spikes adorned with large cup-shaped flowers. Just before opening, the buds look like small balloons. When expanded, the pointed lobes of the bells are slightly recurved resembling lilies. Their color is a deep blue with a sparkling sheen. It is excellent in the permanent border or in a semi-shaded rock garden where the color becomes more intense.

**Grandiflora Blue** ..... Pkt. 10c

**POLYANTHUS** (See Primula)



When you have once enjoyed brilliant Iceland Poppies in your garden, you will want them popping up every year.

**POPPY** Every child and every grown-up knows and loves poppies and associates them with summer. What a glorious riot of color they bring, with almost every shade of the rainbow available in the wide range of varieties! There are double and single blossoms, and both are delicate in texture and graceful in form. As a rule, the individual flowers do not last long, but others follow in rapid succession to replace them, and the gay show goes on.

**Shirley** [hA-18 in.] This delightful group sprang originally from the common European field poppy, which everyone knows as the Flanders Field Poppy of the World War. The plants with their deeply cut foliage, slender hairy stems, and silky petaled blossoms, often fluted, present a delicate airy picture as they nod in the slightest breeze.

**Single American Legion** This is a dazzling scarlet with white cross at center. The best substitute for the wild Flanders Poppy .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c

**Single Mixed** A superb blend of this beautiful type of Poppy ranging in color from pure white through tones of salmon, pink, and rose to brightest carmine-red.... Oz. 40c

**Double Pink Shades** This charming sort with its double and semi-double flowers in several shades of pink is of great merit.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c

Pkts. 10c each

**Tall Somniferum** [hA-3 ft.] It is to this class that the Opium Poppy of the Orient belongs, but we do not handle the seed of that particular variety. These robust plants are of imposing stature, carry an abundance of thick wide leaves, and bear large flowers on stout stems.

**Single Mixed** A varied collection of single deeply cupped flowers, many with fringed petals.

**Double Carnation Flowered Mixed** Perfectly double, globular flowers with fringed petals in many brilliant colors.

**Double Peony Flowered Mixed** Bold double ball-shaped blooms, plain edged petals, resembling the Peony in form.

Any one of the above: Pkt. 10c

**Double Choice Mixed** A wide selection of vivid colors chosen from the Carnation and Peony types. .... Oz. 30c; pkt. 5c

**Nudicaule** (Iceland Poppy) [hP-R-18 in.] This hardy Poppy slightly resembles the delicately formed annual Shirley. However, the plants are somewhat different in habit and contain many shades of yellow and orange. At its base each plant forms a neat tuft of finely cut leaves above which rise bare wiry stems holding cup-shaped single flowers. Iceland Poppies are valuable in a hardy border or in a permanent rock garden, and when in bud they are desirable for cutting.

**Coonara Pink Hybrids** Clear shades, from pale pastels to deep rose. An Australian variety of great beauty.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60c; pkt. 15c

**Sunbeam** Since it is more thrifty, with finer stems and handsomer flowers, this is an improvement over the original Iceland strain. The plants will produce flowers the first season from seed sown early, and the blossoms are unequalled for cutting.

Orange	White	Yellow
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Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 15c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Orientale** [hP-2½ ft.] These are the royal members of the Poppy family. They are majestic in all their characteristic, have magnificent foliage, sturdy stems, huge cup-shaped flowers with crinkled petals, and large decorative pods. In the herbaceous border they form a gorgeous picture.

**Red** Glowing scarlet with bases of petals bluish black.

**Hybrids** A splendid collection mostly red, with some white, rose, lavender, orange, and crimson.

Each of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c



**Portulaca** makes a brilliant carpet for a sun-beaten spot where a ground cover is needed.

**Double Mixed** produces a large percentage of blossoms like little double roses.



Poor Man's ORCHID (See Schizanthus)

**PORTULACA (Moss Rose)** [hA-6 in.] This garden gem will thrive in a dry sunny spot where most other flowering plants would die of thirst. It is of spreading habit with fleshy stems, light green in color and often tinged with red. Small needle leaves give it a mossy appearance. The glossy cup-shaped single blossoms and rose-like double flowers about one inch across cover the plants and create a dazzling display of color throughout the summer.

**Single** This large flowering type with gay single flowers is very satisfactory.

<b>Scarlet</b>	<b>White</b>	<b>Yellow</b>
Pkts. 10c each		

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Double Mixed** Sometimes called "Bed of Roses." A choice blend which, while never entirely fixed, will produce a large percentage of doubles. ....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

POT MARIGOLD (See Calendula)

**PRIMULA (Primrose)** Certain varieties of this plant are tender, while others are hardy and give fine satisfaction in the open ground, preferably in rich soil and partial shade.

**Malacoides (Baby Primrose)** (tP-16 in.) A favorite for growing outdoors in mild climates and one of the best Primroses for potting. Clusters of dainty lilac blossoms on long stems..... Pkt. 15c

**Hardy Varieties** [hP-R-6 in.] In early spring these Primroses produce handsome rosettes of leaves from the centers of which rise lovely velvety flowers in a rich assortment of colors. They delight in a rich soil but do best in partial shade. They are treasures in a rock garden or in a low permanent border.

**Auricula** Clusters of fragrant flowers in shades of fawn, brown, and maroon with enveloping leaves..... Pkt. 25c

**Veris Mixed (Polyanthus)** Each stalk of this "Bunch Primrose" carries several flowers in a thick rounded cluster. Colors are purple, orange, and crimson..... Pkt. 15c

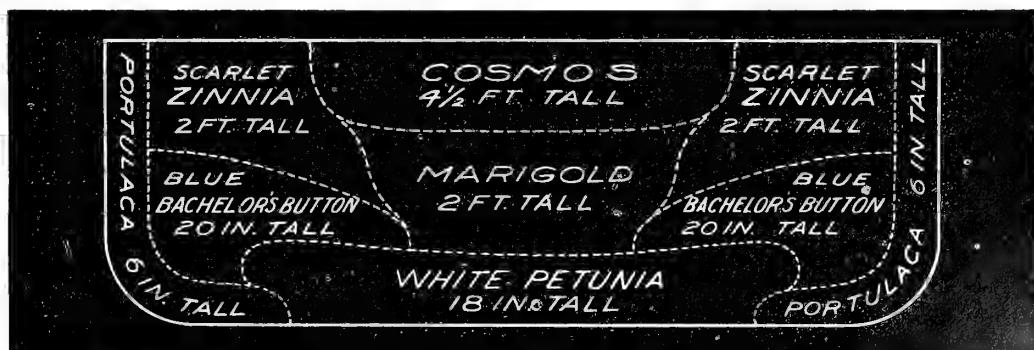
# Garden Beginners! Here's a plan for You!

**FERRY'S BLUEPRINT GARDEN** consists of six small packets of flowers in one envelope. There are one each of Blue Bachelor's Button (*Centaurea cyanus*), Early Mammoth Cosmos, Guinea Gold Marigold, White King Petunia, Fine Mixed Portulaca, and Giant Flowered Scarlet Zinnia.

The garden is simple to make, and the flowers are all easy to grow.

Ferry's Blueprint Garden..... 25c

**Fun  
for  
Boys  
and  
Girls**



**Enjoyable  
for  
Any  
Age**

# Pick your Flowers while they are Fresh

**PRIMROSE** (See Primula and Oenothera)

**PUERARIA**, Thunbergiana  
(See Kudzu Vine)

**PYRETHRUM** This plant is cousin to the Chrysanthemum and Matricaria and should play an important part in many a well-planned garden. We list handsome flowering varieties charming in the hardy border and useful for bouquets.

**Roseum** (Painted Daisy) [hP-2 ft.] Though unfamiliar to many gardeners here, this hardy Persian Daisy has long been a favorite in European gardens. We whole-heartedly recommend it. The plants are erect growing, consisting of upright slender stalks adorned with fern-like leaves and carrying fine terminal blossoms.

**Single Mixed** Radiating petals in many tones of rose and red about a golden center. ....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 65c; pkt. 10c

**Double Mixed** A fine percentage of fully double or crested flowers in shades of salmon, rose, crimson, and pure white. .... Pkt. 25c

A row of scarlet Salvia against a white house is always a dazzling sight. Salvia is one of those dependable flowers that often remains bright and fresh for a long time after frost.



## Did You See It?

\*\*\*The natural color photograph of Pyrethrum on the inside front cover?  
This lovely flower is described on this page.

### RANUNCULUS (Buttercup)

[hP-R-10 in.] This charming member of the Buttercup family bears large semi-double flowers, sometimes two inches across. Above the compact plants, the lovely blossoms are borne on erect stems. The colors, in shades of yellow, orange, and red, are very attractive in the hardy border during the late spring and early summer.

**Asiaticus** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**RHODANTHE (Everlasting)** [hA-12 in.] One of the most charming and graceful of the straw flowers. The plants are delicate in form, and many slender stalks ringed with light green clasping leaves carry numerous attractive blossoms. These look like drooping bells until they are fully expanded, when the outer petals form broad, starry discs exposing golden centers. In the open they are highly decorative, and they make good winter bouquets when dried slowly in a cool place.

**Maculata White** Dainty flowers with clear white petals.

**Maculata Rose** Beautiful bright rose petals.

**Mixed** Blossoms appear in shades of white, pink, and rose.

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**RICINUS (Castor Bean)** [tP] When quick shrub effects for temporary backgrounds or screens are needed, these tall tree-like plants are excellent. Their growth in a single season is remarkable, and they are highly ornamental. The broad leaves, glossy green or metallic bronze in hue, are palm-shaped and beautifully lobed, and the long spikes of seed pods are scarlet or green. They should be used as an annual in cold sections. Because they grow so rapidly, they require rich soil and plenty of water.

**Sanguineus** [6 ft.] Green leaves with red veining; stalks blood red; bears clusters of scarlet fruit.

**Zanzibariensis** [10 ft.] This hybrid sort is wonderfully vigorous, bearing huge leaves often 2 feet across and ranging in color from brilliant green to lustrous bronze.

**Mixed** [8 ft.] A desirable mixture of many fine varieties.

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; pkt. 10c

**ROCK CRESS (See Arabis)**

**RUDBECKIA (Cone Flower)** [hA-2 ft.] In pioneer days this was a familiar American wild flower of the prairies and the Southwest. Now the dignified descendants of this plant with their striking blossoms adorn many a home garden or shrubby foreground. The brown centers are cone-shaped, and they are surrounded by golden petals flecked velvety brown at the base.

**Bicolor Superba** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**SALPIGLOSSIS (Painted Tongue)** Large Flowered [hA- $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft.] For delicate grace, richness of coloring, and velvety texture, the regal Salpiglossis has practically no equal. From a low base of leaves rise slender wiry stalks which bear one or more large lily-like flowers in a magnificent range of colors. The gold veining of their deep throats is often pronounced and adds to their beauty. It is a great favorite in the open and for cutting.

**Blue and Gold** ..... **Purple and Gold**

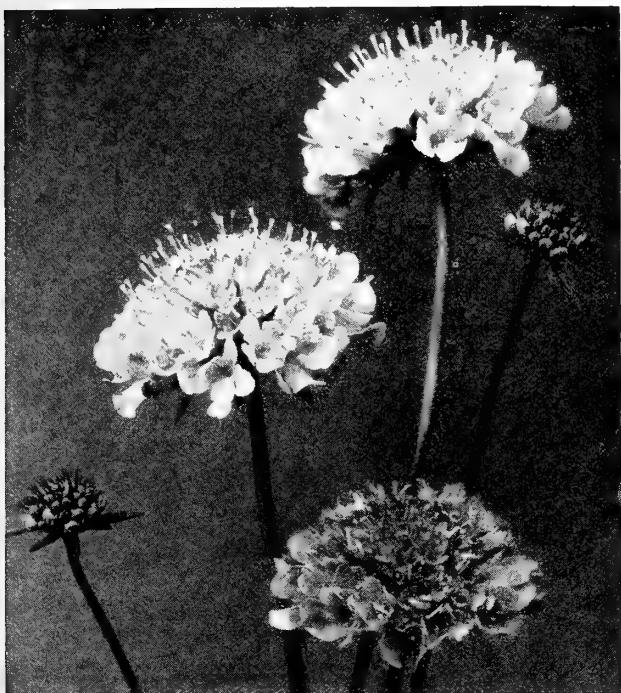
**Brown and Gold** ..... **Rose and Gold**

**Crimson**

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Superb Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

# and Enjoy them in the house



Two varieties of the popular Pin Cushion flower (*Scabiosa*). At the left is the annual, *Mourning Bride*; at the right is *Caucasica*, one of the perennials. Both are worthwhile additions to your garden.

## SCARLET FLAX (See Linum)

**SCABIOSA (Pin Cushion Flower)** Garden enthusiasts for many generations have been fascinated by the different members of this flower family. Our selections comprise the most decorative varieties of the annual and perennial types. All are very satisfying while growing in the open and make desirable flowers for bouquets.

**Large Flowered Double (Mourning Bride)** [hA-2½ ft.] One of the most popular of the easily grown annuals for cutting because of the long, wiry stems. It also makes attractive groupings in the garden, especially when planted with annual Gypsophila. The stamens are light in color and in contrast with the petals look like pins stuck into a cushion. There are few deeper colors among the annuals than the dark maroon variety, from which the flower gets its name—Mourning Bride.

Ageratum Blue	Red
Maroon	Rose
Peach Blossom	White
Yellow	

Any one of the above: ¼ oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed**..... ½ oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Caucasica** [hP-2 ft.] This variety resembles annual *Scabiosa* except that the flower is made up of a group of shortened center florets surrounded by a row of fluffy petals; the annual has petals of nearly all the same length. The leaves are not cut like those of the annual. With its long graceful wiry stems *Caucasica* is attractive in the perennial border. It blooms for a long time through the summer.

**Lavender Blue** A beautiful shade..... Pkt. 15c

**Columbaria** [hP-18 in.] This is a South African form closely related to the *Caucasica* type. In habit it is more dwarf and somewhat more spreading and is graced with finely cut foliage. The flowers average 2 to 2½ inches across, and the fluted florets form dense heads. The stems are long and slender, splendid for cutting.

**Lavender** Rich mauve tone. **Pink** Deep rosy pink.  
Pkts. 15c each

**SAPONARIA (Soapwort, Bouncing Bet)** [hA-6 in.] This satisfactory edging plant can be used as an attractive temporary filler among the permanent plants in a rock garden or in the front of the border. The dense foliage is bright green, and the blossoms are gay rosy scarlet.

**Multiflora Compacta Red**..... ½ oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**SCARLET RUNNER BEAN** [hA-10 ft.] Brilliant sprays of scarlet pea-shaped blossoms decorate this rapid growing pole or runner Bean. The large leaves form a dense mat of foliage. Following the vivid flowers, the plant bears long pods of superior flavor although somewhat stringy, and when more mature it produces green shell beans excellent for table use..... Lb. 40c; pkt. 10c

**SALVIA (Flowering Sage)** Unrivalled for its dazzling color, Scarlet Sage maintains its popularity from year to year. The dense dark green foliage forms a fine background for the countless spikes of tubular florets. The blue varieties are less showy, but for beauty of coloring or as cut flowers they are very desirable. Although *Salvias* are perennial and will live on in a mild climate, they should be treated as annuals and will bloom readily the first season if started early indoors.

**Early Bonfire** [tP-18 in.] An early type of Scarlet Sage; rather dwarf, but it grows evenly and bears a wealth of blossoms. .... ¼ oz. 75c; pkt. 10c

**Harbinger (Improved Strain)** [tP-1 ft.] The earliest Scarlet Sage; plants are compact and covered with blossoms.... Pkt. 25c

**Splendens** [tP-2 ft.] This vigorous Scarlet Sage is a large flowered, early strain..... ¼ oz. 60c; pkt. 10c

**Patens** [tP-18 in.] One of the finest indigo blue flowers known, less branching than other varieties but attractive in the mixed border..... Pkt. 15c

**Farinacea, Blue Bedder** [hhP-3 ft.] Above a dense tuft of leaves rise tall slender spikes ringed at intervals with small tubular light blue florets dusted with a powdery bloom. Desirable for cutting..... Pkt. 15c

## SAND VERBENA (See Abronia)

# Make Yours



A group of gardens grown  
from Ferry's seeds

At the top, left, a border  
of perennials. At the  
bottom, a border of annu-  
als. The garden at the right  
contains both annuals and  
perennials and shows a  
generous sprinkling of  
Shasta Daisies described on  
this page.

**SCHIZANTHUS (Poor Man's Orchid)** [hA-18 in.] Myriads of dainty blossoms like butterflies or tiny orchids crowd these delightful plants. In the garden or for pot culture they make very effective growth. The seed germinates readily, and the plants start flowering within a few weeks. They are fine for picking.

**Dr. Badger's Strain of Hybrids** A beautiful collection of large flowered hybrids with dainty markings, chiefly in the lighter tones or pastel shades.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Retusus Mixed** A relatively brilliant type in shades of crimson, blue, and purple, with vivid golden blotches.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75c; pkt. 10c

**SEA LAVENDER** (See Statice)

**SEA PINK** (See Armeria)

**SEDMUM (Stone Crop)** [hP-R-3 in.] In semi-arid spots, in crevices of walls, and in rock gardens this low tufted plant thrives admirably. At first a multitude of stalks spread from the base of the plant, then finally stand erect and are covered with tiny light green fleshy leaves. In early summer this mossy growth is blanketed with small star-shaped blossoms of golden yellow.

**Acre** (Golden Moss).....  
..... Pkt. 25c

**SENSITIVE PLANT** (See Mimosa)

**SHASTA DAISY** (*Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum*) [hP-2 ft.] To Luther Burbank we owe much for the glorification of our common field Daisy. It is a hardy plant bearing large white, single blooms with handsome yellow centers. They are valuable for border decoration and especially pleasing in bouquets. If the early buds are pinched back, the mass of foliage will be improved while the later flowers will be materially increased in size.

**Hybridum Maximum** A fine floriferous sort with large flowers, long season.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Hybridum Maximum Alaska** Somewhat later in blooming, but the flowers are of extra large size..... Pkt. 15c

**SIBERIAN WALLFLOWER** (See *Cheiranthus*)

**SNAPDRAGON** (See *Antirrhinum*)

**SNEEZEWORT** (See *Achillea*, *Helenium*)

**SNOW-IN-SUMMER** (See *Cerastium*)

**SNOW-ON-THE-MOUNTAIN** (See *Euphorbia*)

**SOAPWORT** (See *Saponaria*)

**SPIDER PLANT** (See *Cleome*)

**ST. PETER'S PENNY** (See *Lunaria*)

**STATICE (Everlasting) (Sea Lavender)** [hA-2 ft.]

This Everlasting of unusual beauty is often seen in florists' shops. It is easily grown and can grace the home garden border as well as furnish fine cut flowers either in the green or dried state. The plants thrive in a sunny location where the soil is quite poor, and they need only a minimum of moisture.

**Sinuata** This type forms a low rosette of Dandelion-like leaves from which rise several stiff, angular stalks. These branch toward the tops and bear dense groups of blossoms in graduated rows along their curving tips. They are surprisingly dainty and interesting.

**Rose** A fine bright rose

**White** Good clear white

**True Blue** Dark with white eye

**Yellow** (Bonduelli)

**Mixed** A choice variety of colors

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Suworowii** (Rat Tail) Distinct, Russian sort with base of broad curled leaves and stalks producing many long, tail-like spikes of densely clustered rosy blossoms.... Pkt. 10c

**STEVIA** [tP-2 ft.] To mix with more colorful blossoms in bouquets, Stevia is one of the best of the small flowering plants. Slender stalks carry toothed leaves of light green and bear quantities of tiny clear white blossoms faintly scented. Botanically this is "Piqueria Trinerva." Although it is hardy in a mild climate, it flowers so promptly after sowing that it should be used as an annual.

**Serrata, White**..... Pkt. 10c

**STONE CROP** (See *Sedum*)

**STRAW FLOWERS** (See *Acroclinium*, *Globe Amaranth*, *Helichrysum*, *Rhodanthe*, *Statice*, *Xeranthemum*)

**SUMMER CYPRESS** (See *Kochia*)

**SUMMER FORGET-ME-NOT** (See *Anchusa*)

**SUMMER LILAC** (See *Buddleia*)

## It's Fascinating

▲ ▲ ▲ To grow your own perennials.  
Have you seen our new folder,  
"Starting Perennials from Seed"?

# a Ferry-Morse Garden this year

**STOCK, Double** In this class of Gilliflowers the gardener is assured of a delightful perfume. Combined with this pleasing attribute the plants are of neat habit, carrying velvety light green or lustrous bright green foliage and bearing handsome spikes of double rosette-like blossoms on fine stems. Vivid tones and soft shades of color to suit every taste are available. Only single flowered Stocks bear seeds, so no double strain can be reproduced without a small percentage of singles. Our seeds will supply a very large proportion of true doubles.

**Dwarf Ten Weeks** [hA-12 in.] This early class forms dwarf compact plants that are excellent for edgings or low beds. They often do well in sections where plants of the later types cannot be grown.

Bright Pink	Lavender
Canary Yellow	Mauve
Crimson	Purple
White	

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Beauty of Nice** [hA-16 in.] A type developed on the French Riviera. It follows the Ten Weeks class in season of bloom. The plants are pyramidal in shape branching above the base. This sort is excellent for bedding and for cutting.

Canary Yellow	Mauve
Chamois (Aurora)	Old Rose
Crimson	Purple
Lavender	Rose Pink
Light Pink	Salmon King
White	

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

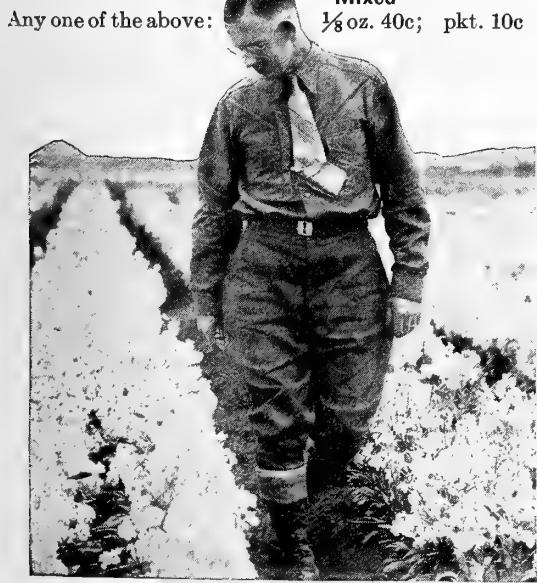
Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Perpetual Branching** [hA-20 in.] Sometimes called Dresden, or "Cut-and-Come-Again". This variety is somewhat later in season than Beauty of Nice, and in the North it should be started very early. The plant branches near the base, producing large flower spikes on long clean stems.

Canary Yellow	Old Rose
Crimson	Purple
Lavender	Rose
Mauve	White

Mixed

$\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c



Special work on Stocks, in order to produce a higher percentage of double flowers, is going on at our Seed Breeding Stations.

**Giant Imperial** [hA-2 ft.] Long stems and imposing spikes of large flowers make this the outstanding variety for florists. It is about as early as Beauty of Nice and resembles it in habit, except that the plant is somewhat less spreading and considerably taller. "Pure line" breeding has made our strains unsurpassed in percentage of doubles. Either for greenhouse or garden they are excellent.

Antique Copper	Mauve
Chamois	Old Rose
Crimson	Rose
Dark Purple (Elk's Pride)	Salmon Rose
Golden Rose	White (Santa Maria)
Lavender	Yellow (Golden Ball)

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 65c; pkt. 15c  
Mixed.....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**Giant Winter (Brompton)** [hhB-2 ft.] This is a later blooming, branching plant which produces huge spikes. For use in the open it is valuable only in mild climates. In Northern latitudes where the season is short it must be taken inside at the approach of killing frosts.

Egyptian (Soft Rose)	Mixed
Pkts. 15c each	



Dwarf Ten Weeks is one of the best Stocks for home gardeners to grow.

**SUNFLOWER (Helianthus)** [hA] These flowers need to be bathed in sunlight if they are to thrive. Except in the miniature type, each plant has a single robust stalk, sometimes forked near the top, clothed with large heart-shaped leaves, and bearing large circular flower heads. They are admirably adapted for use as backgrounds or tall divisions.

**Single Red and Gold** [5 ft.] These hybrids resemble the Gaillardia in coloring and produce large single flowers with deep red centers and petals in crimson and yellow .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**Single Stella** [3 ft.] A bushy, branching plant with leaves like the Cucumber. It bears single flowers 3 inches across on long stems. The yellow petals surround a small dark disc.....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c; pkt. 10c

**Double Golden Globe** [6 ft.] A desirable sort with countless quilled petals forming a solid hemispherical head of bright yellow color. .... Oz. 45c; pkt. 5c

**SWAN RIVER DAISY** (See Brachycome)

# Our Sweet Pea introductions have won

For fifty years Sweet Peas have been one of our specialties. The first Sweet Pea novelty to be offered in the United States was Blanche Ferry. Its initial appearance was in our catalogue of 1889. Since its introduction it has been popular in three forms, first as a Grandiflora, then as an Extra Early or Earliest of All, and later as a Spencer.

Lester L. Morse, head of our Pacific Coast division, was the first commercial Sweet Pea grower in America. In 1886 when he began to grow Sweet Peas, only seven named varieties were in existence. Today more than 3500 names have been recorded in the development of the Sweet Pea.

Mr. Morse was responsible for the creation and introduction of many new varieties. However, for several years this feature of our business has been directed by Frank G. Cuthbertson, one of our Vice-Presidents, who is considered an international authority. He directs the crossing, selecting, and developing of our new varieties and the purifying of the imported novelty strains.

Sweet Peas are relatively hardy. They may be planted very early in spring or late in the fall. They do best in well fertilized soil, and they need considerable watering on warm days when evaporation is likely to be high. As soon as the vines are four inches tall, they need support. It is also of great importance to give the plants plenty of room, thinning them to not less than six inches apart.

## LATE SPENCER

This class is thrifty and vigorous. The vines are branching, sending out shoots from the base and carrying an abundance of foliage. The flowers are large, with upright standards delicately waved or frilled and with graceful wings. Wherever the climate assures rather cool nights and days that are not extremely hot, this type will flourish to perfection.

### BLUE

	Pkt.	Oz.
<b>Amethyst</b> Clear, medium blue, with very little purplish cast .....	10c	30c
<b>Capri (Morse 1936)</b> The best light blue we know of. Lovely in combination with pink. Long stems; vigorous vines. (See illustration page 48.)	25c	...
<b>Fortune</b> Dusky violet-blue, flowers large and of fine form. Most striking when used in combination with lighter colors .....	10c	30c
<b>Glenegleas</b> Lavender blue, slightly deeper at center. The flowers are of rounded form with dainty frilled edges.....	10c	30c

### CERISE or CHERRY

<b>Charming</b> A bright rosy cerise. This sort carries fine bold flowers that are beautifully waved ...	10c	30c
<b>Mrs. A. Searles</b> Rich cerise, bordering on soft oriental red. A strong growing variety producing splendid large blooms.....	10c	30c

### CORAL

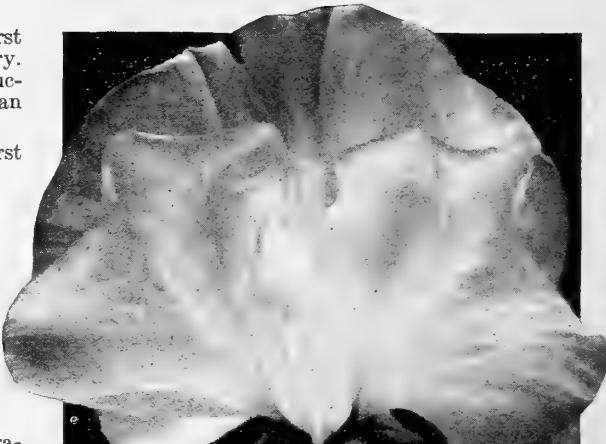
<b>Debutante</b> (Morse 1932) Coral, subtly shaded with salmon or peach pink, a new and distinct color. Long succession of blooms.....	10c	30c
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### CREAM

<b>Majestic Cream</b> A deep rich cream shade. This reliable variety carries excellent flowers that are gracefully waved .....	10c	30c
<b>Mastercream</b> (Morse 1934) Deep cream without a trace of pink. Black seeded. Flowers duplexed, large, and beautifully frilled.....	10c	30c
<b>What Joy</b> Primrose, shading to cream. A charming tone and so far the nearest approach to a true yellow.....	10c	30c

### CRIMSON

<b>Honour</b> Rich crimson. This fine English variety bears large beautifully waved blossoms .....	10c	30c
<b>Red Boy</b> (Morse 1933) Pure crimson, deep and rich. Enormous, boldly expanded flowers in fours on long stems. A robust grower.....	10c	30c
<b>Sybil Henshaw</b> Glowing blood-red. This has superseded King Edward Spencer as the standard crimson.....	10c	30c



Stylist is appropriately called the "Pink of Pinks" among Sweet Peas.

### LAVENDER and MAUVE

	Pkt.	Oz.
<b>Ambition</b> Deep lavender. Large-flowered, strong growing, and fragrant. Long stems.....	10c	30c
<b>Chieftain</b> Pure satiny mauve (deep lavender). The flowers are large and plentiful, stems long, and vines robust .....	10c	30c
<b>Powerscourt</b> Clearest lavender. The standard for the last ten years.....	10c	30c

### MAROON

<b>The Sultan</b> Deepest maroon, with a trace of violet. Unequalled for depth of color.....	10c	30c
<b>Warrior</b> Rich ox-blood maroon. Handsome large flowers with a sparkling sheen.....	10c	30c

### ORANGE

#### "Require Shading Against Sunburn"

<b>Celebrity</b> (Morse 1931) Brilliant orange. Unsurpassed in this color class for vigor, size of flowers, and long stems. Gorgeous under artificial light.	10c	30c
<b>Tangerine Improved</b> Rich salmon orange. Long a favorite, but less brilliant and vigorous than Celebrity.....	10c	30c

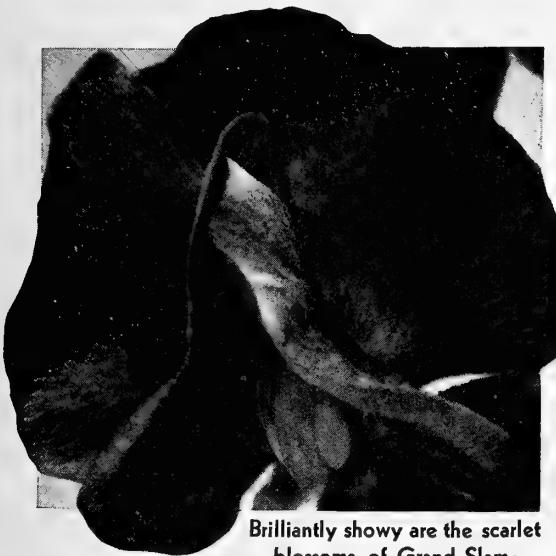
### PICOTEE

<b>Sunkist</b> (Morse 1928) Clear cream, edged pink. The edging is clearly defined on the large well waved blossoms.....	10c	30c
<b>Youth</b> (Morse 1924) Pure white, edged soft pink. One of the largest flowered and most vigorous of all Sweet Peas. Fragrant .....	10c	30c

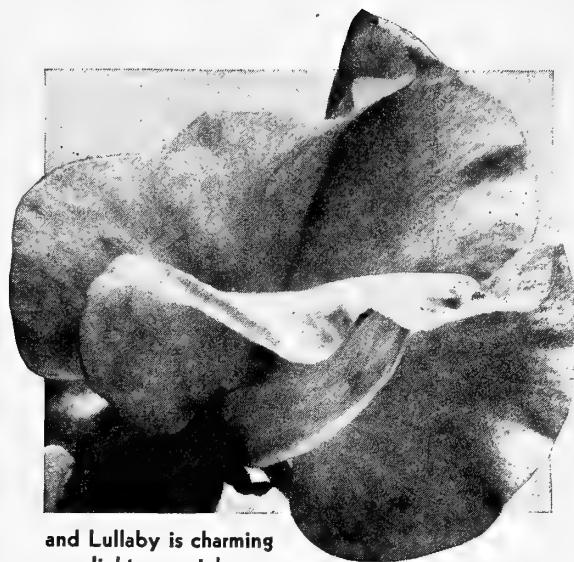
### PINK—Cream Pink

<b>Magnet</b> Rich cream pink.....	10c	30c
<b>Mary Pickford</b> (Morse 1926) Blossoms large, well waved, and sometimes duplexed.....	10c	30c
<b>Miss California</b> (Morse 1925) Soft rose pink on cream ground. The flowers are daintily frilled and very large.....	10c	30c
<b>Rapture</b> (Morse 1935) A real novelty among the cream pinks, and sure to be a favorite wherever it is grown. The color is lovely, deep, clear rose pink on deep cream ground. The vines are vigorous and bear four-blossomed sprays abundantly.....	10c	30c
<b>Smiles</b> (Morse 1933) A really distinct shade—glistening salmon, shaded shrimp pink. Vigorous and perfectly resistant to the sun .....	10c	30c
<b>Vanity</b> (Morse 1935) Deep geranium pink flushed with salmon on a light cream ground. A flower of exquisite beauty. Although the color is so brilliant, it does not burn in the brightest sun.	10c	30c

# Many Honors at home and abroad



Brilliantly showy are the scarlet blossoms of Grand Slam;



and Lullaby is charming light rose pink.

## SWEET PEAS—LATE SPENCER (Continued)

### PINK—Rose Pink

Pkt. Oz.

**Artiste** (Morse 1936) Clear geranium pink, salmon shaded—a lively, glowing color. Sure to be a favorite, both outdoors and under artificial light. (See illustration page 49.)..... 25c

**Ecstasy** (Morse 1934) An appealing shade of blush pink. This variety has become a favorite light pink Sweet Pea. Very large and strong growing..... 10c

**Lullaby** (Morse 1936) A charming shade of light rose pink, and a fine companion to our wonderful blush pink, Ecstasy. A strong grower. Award of Merit, National Sweet Pea Society, 1934..... 25c

**Mayfair** Salmon pink on white ground. Strong growth and long stems..... 10c

**Pinkie** (Morse 1928) Rich rose pink. This extra vigorous sort is universally accepted as the largest flowering and finest of its class..... 10c

**Pinnacle** (Morse 1935) The deepest rose pink Sweet Pea yet introduced. The color, on a white ground, sparkles with life. The flowers are ideally placed on long stout stems and have remarkable keeping quality..... 10c

**Stylist** (Morse 1936) The very boldness of these flowers as well as their clear, deep rose pink color attracts favorable attention. Salmon-flushed. Delightful..... 25c

### PURPLE

**Olympia** Royal purple, deep and rich. Large waved flowers, strong vines, and glorious color make this the standard purple Sweet Pea..... 10c

**American Quintet Collection** This selection contains five recent Morse introductions all of which are of unusual merit and distinction. They are: Pinkie, Capri, Mary Pickford, Welcome, and Youth.

Each set of five 40c

### ROSE—Light Rose

Pkt. Oz.

**Sentinel** (Morse 1935) Especially glorious for exhibition purposes. A glowing deep salmon-rose on cream. Robust and large flowered..... 10c

30c

**Good Cheer** (Morse 1931) Charming Begonia rose. This magnificent sort is very robust. Produces large flowers of clear color on long stems..... 10c

30c

### ROSE—Carmine Rose

**Brilliant Rose** Warm Tyrian rose. A distinct and striking color..... 10c

30c

**Damask Rose** A large well-formed flower of bright rose carmine..... 10c

30c

**Doreen** (Morse 1925) Bright carmine. Unusually vigorous, bearing many large blossoms, normally in fours..... 10c

30c

### SCARLET

**Grand Slam** (Morse 1936) For those who like brilliant colors this sparkling flower will have a great appeal. It is bright scarlet cerise, shaded orange. Does not burn in the sunshine..... 25c

...

**Royal Scot** Flame scarlet. Well known wherever Sweet Peas are grown..... 10c

30c

**Welcome** (Morse 1932) The most dazzling of all the scarlets..... 10c

30c

### WHITE

**Avalanche** Glistening pure white. Large, beautifully frilled flowers make this a leader..... 10c

30c

**Kames** Pure white. Very large flowered; strong growing; black seeded..... 10c

30c

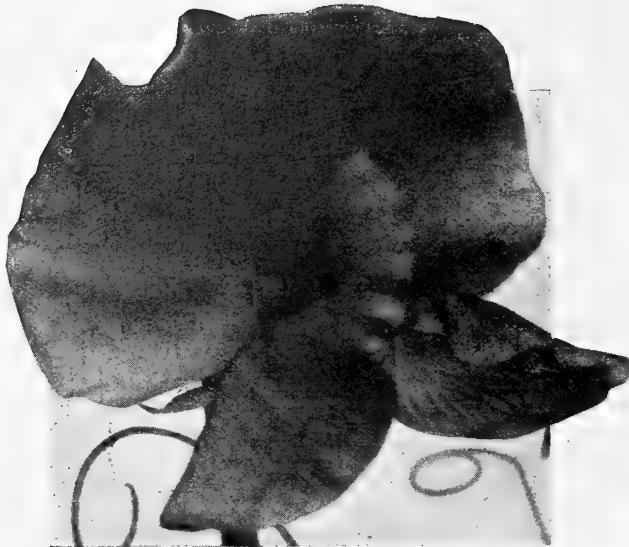
**Superb Mixed** This mixture has been formulated to afford unusual richness and brilliancy. It contains the finest named sorts, and we have endeavored to make it the choicest blend possible.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c; oz. 25c; pkt. 10c

**Sweet Peas, Choice Mixed**.....  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; pkt. 5c

**1936 Collection** For the sum of seventy-five cents we offer these ten beautiful varieties: Grand Slam, Doreen, Ecstasy, Gleneagles, Kames, Smiles, Mastercream, Olympia, Powerscourt, Red Boy.

Each set of ten 75c

# Our Special sweet pea



These attractive new Sweet Peas, Early Triumph (left) and Early Boon (right), were included in a group receiving a 1935 Gold Medal for their excellence. They are described on these pages.

## EARLY FLOWERING SPENCER

This group of Sweet Peas deserves more attention from home gardeners who may have been disappointed in growing the later varieties. They come into bloom from three to four weeks earlier, and for that reason they should be well in flower before the summer droughts arrive. In addition to this, the vines have a long blooming season, and where nights are cool they will continue to bear for months. They are less branching than those of the late Spencers, but the blossoms are equally large, beautifully waved, and are carried on long stems. They are ideal for late fall planting and where the winters are mild, as in our Gulf States, those bordering on the Rio Grande, and in California they are used in large quantities at that season of the year.

The Early Flowering Spencer has also earned marked recognition from a great many commercial growers for forcing under glass.

### BLUE

Pkt. Oz.

**Early Blue Bird** Pure violet blue. Long stemmed and produces fine, waved flowers. It has been popular for many seasons..... 10c 50c

**Early Marine** (Morse 1930) The clearest true blue of all Sweet Peas. Extremely vigorous and bears huge flowers..... 10c 50c

### CERISE or CHERRY

**Early Apollo** (Morse 1931) Soft salmon cerise. Strong growing; extra long stemmed; bears fine bold flowers..... 10c 50c

**Early Pride** (Morse 1932) Deep cerise, tinged with scarlet. Even brighter than "Glitters," larger flowered, more vigorous, and much longer stemmed..... 10c 50c

**Early Sunray** (Morse 1930) Bright glowing cerise with salmon sheen. Vigorous grower, extra long stemmed, glistening under electric light.. 10c 50c

### CREAM

**Early Oriental** (Morse 1929) Clear deep cream. A vigorous, long-stemmed sort bearing exceedingly waved, often duplexed flowers. Black seeded..... 10c 50c

### CRIMSON and ROSE CRIMSON

Pkt. Oz.

**Early American Beauty** (Morse 1933) A superb variety which resembles its namesake, American Beauty Rose, in its glowing crimson color and great length of stem. It is very vigorous, the blossoms are huge, and four-flowered sprays are common..... 10c 50c

**Early Queen Crimson** (Morse 1927) Glistening ox-blood crimson. For a deep tone of this color this variety is very desirable..... 10c 50c

**Early Redwood** (Morse 1936) Deep bright rich crimson. Strong growing. Especially fine for home gardens and sure to be popular..... 25c ...

### LAVENDER and MAUVE

**Early Harmony** (Morse 1921) Clear lavender. Has enjoyed a wonderful popularity due to its vigorous habit, big flowers, and fine color..... 10c 50c

**Early Memory** (Morse 1935) The clear rosy lavender of this flower is perfect for blending with pink shades. The vigorous vines bear a heavy and continuous crop of long-stemmed large flowers. We forecast it as the leading lavender of the future. (For further description see pages 48 and 49.)..... 10c 50c

**Early Greeting** (Morse 1932) A fresher, livelier color and longer stems make this new Sweet Pea truly outstanding. The flowers are large, fragrant, and well frilled..... 10c 50c

**Early Triumph** (Morse 1936) A beautiful clear soft shade of lilac mauve, without a tinge of purple or blue. A real "triumph," and greatly admired. Certificate of Merit, Chicago Commercial Flower Growers, 1935..... 25c ...

### ORANGE "Require Shading Against Sunburn"

**Early Burpee's Orange** A light orange. Pretty under artificial light..... 10c 50c

**Early Fortyniner** (Morse 1931) Glowing rich orange. Unusually vigorous and long stemmed with striking frilled flowers..... 10c 50c

**Early Mrs. Kerr** A clear light orange salmon. Its exquisite color has made this variety very popular..... 10c 50c

# Collections contain only Superior varieties



This is a glorious new crimson, called Early Redwood.



Unusually large and well waved are the blossoms of Early Chime.

## PINK—Cream Pink

	Pkt.	Oz.
Early Attraction (Morse 1934) Clear bright salmon pink on a light cream ground. More vigorous and longer stemmed than the popular Springsong . . . . .	10c	50c

## PINK—Cream Pink (Cont.)

Pkt. Oz.

Early Boon (Morse 1936) Glorious deep salmon pink on light cream ground. Received Certificate of Merit, Chicago Commercial Flower Growers, 1935 . . . . .	25c	...
Early Chime (Morse 1936) A new and fascinating shade of light salmon pink on cream ground. Unusually large. Everyone is enthusiastic about this distinctive flower. . . . .	25c	...
Early Monterey (Morse 1935) An unusually large flower of glowing geranium pink, flushed salmon. Awarded a Certificate of Merit at the 1934 Spring Flower Show in New York. . . . .	10c	50c
Early Springsong (Morse 1928) Bright rose pink flushed salmon. This sort is the most brilliant cream pink and is very popular. . . . .	10c	50c

## PINK—Rose Pink

Early Ball's Rose Rich rose pink, holds its color well and produces large well-waved flowers . . . . .	10c	50c
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Early Giant Rose (Morse 1927) Warm rose pink. For extreme size of flower, splendid form, and beautiful waving we recommend this variety . . . . .	10c	50c
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Early Success (Morse 1935) A lively sparkling rose pink on a white ground. Deeper than any other rose pink. Four flowers are common on the long stout stems. We believe this flower will live up to its name on the flower markets of the country. . . . .	10c	50c
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## ROSE—Carmine Rose

Early Pal (Morse 1931) Bold flowers of glorious carmine rose. Longest stemmed, largest flowered, and most vigorous of this color class. . . . .	10c	50c
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## SCARLET

Early Vulcan (Morse 1925) Vivid non-burning scarlet. Perhaps the best known and most popular early red. . . . .	10c	50c
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## WHITE

Early Snowstorm Improved Large frilled flowers on long stems. Clear white. . . . .	10c	50c
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Early White Harmony (Morse 1929) Glistening pure white. Vigor, long stems and large blossoms make this the ideal florist's variety. Black seeded; therefore, a dependable sprouter. . . . .	10c	50c
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Early Mixed Try a generous row of this mixture in your garden. The blend contains a choice selection of named varieties, and the flowers will make a brilliant show. . . . .	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	\$1.25; oz. 40c; pkt. 10c
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SWEET PEA, PERENNIAL (See Lathyrus Latifolius)

## CHOICE COLOR GROUPINGS FOR YOUR GARDEN

**Spanish Mission Collection** For gardeners who are unacquainted with the Early Flowering Spencers, we have chosen ten splendid sorts that will give excellent satisfaction. They are: Apollo, Forty-niner, Giant Rose, Harmony, Triumph, Pal, Pride, Queen Crimson, Springsong, Vulcan.

Each set of ten, 75c

**Early "Five" Collection** A group of five dependable sorts that gardeners should know. These varieties are: American Beauty, Success, Marine, Sunray, White Harmony.

Each set of five, 40c

# Start some Window Boxes for Color

SWEET ROCKET (See *Hesperis*)

SWEET SULTAN (See *Centaurea*)

**SWEET WILLIAM** (*Dianthus Barbatus*) [hP-2 ft.] When the late Tulips are gone in the spring and before many other flowers are in bloom, Sweet William will ornament the garden with rich and varied color. The hardy plants form erect tufts and bear handsome broad clusters of blossoms like little Pinks with delicately fringed petals.

**Single** Fine rounded clusters 3 or 4 inches across are composed of many disc-like flowers with overlapping fringed petals gayly colored and marked.

Newport Pink      Scarlet Beauty

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Fine Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

**Double** Quite similar in habit and form to the single type, but the clusters are made up of many dainty double blossoms. Less showy than the single sorts, but longer in flower.

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

SWEET WIVELSFIELD (See *Dianthus*)

TASSEL FLOWER (See *Cacalia*)

TEXAS BLUE BONNET (See *Lupin*)

THIMBLE FLOWER (See *Gilia*)

THRIFT (See *Armeria*)

**THUNBERGIA (Black Eyed Susan)** [tP-C-4 ft.] This ornamental creeper will climb as well as twine if offered support. It is decorated by an abundance of fine triangular leaves and produces quantities of tubular flowers with broad expanded overlapping lobes about 1 inch across. The blossoms vary from white through buff to deep orange and are set off by a solid black center. A fine ground cover in sunny spots or overhanging a bare bank. It should be grown as an annual.

**Alata Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

TRANSVAAL DAISY (See *Gerbera*)

**VALERIANA (Garden Heliotrope)** [hP-2 ft.] During the summer months when many plants are likely to suffer from lack of moisture, Valeriana remains in flower,—it is so vigorous and hardy. Its silvery green foliage spreads considerably, and its numerous stalks carry feathery clusters of tiny sweet scented florets. Since it needs little care, it is useful in spots like a rocky bank that receives scant attention and yet should have decoration.

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**VINCA ROSEA (Periwinkle)** [tP-15 in.] Every year this plant from the Island of Madagascar increases in popularity because of its glossy dark green foliage and profusion of flowers. The blossoms are somewhat like those of Phlox, but they are larger and are not borne in clusters. The plants are entirely free from the attacks of insects. In mild climates they are long season bloomers; in colder sections they may be treated as annuals for late summer and autumn bloom.

In colder sections it is better to start Vinca indoors and set the plants outdoors later when the weather is warm.

The plants are good for potting as well as for use in the border and garden. The foliage is attractive even when the plant is not in bloom.

**Pure White** Blossoms entirely white.

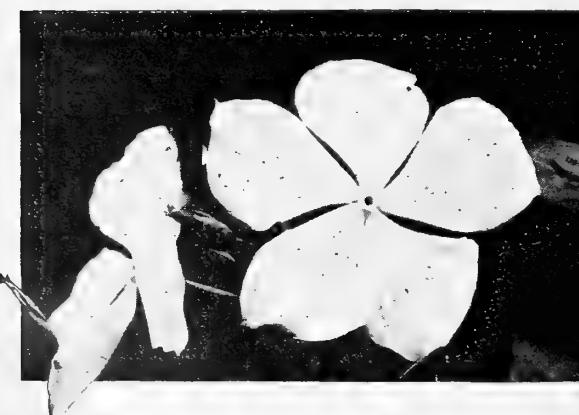
**Rosea** Bright rose with crimson eye.

**Rosea Alba** White with rose center.

**Mixed** A choice blend of named sorts.

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

All of the varieties of Vinca Rosea are beautiful for border plantings. In the photograph are shown: Pure White at the left; at the right Rosea, a pretty rose shade with crimson center; at the bottom, Rosea Alba, clear white with a bright rosy center.



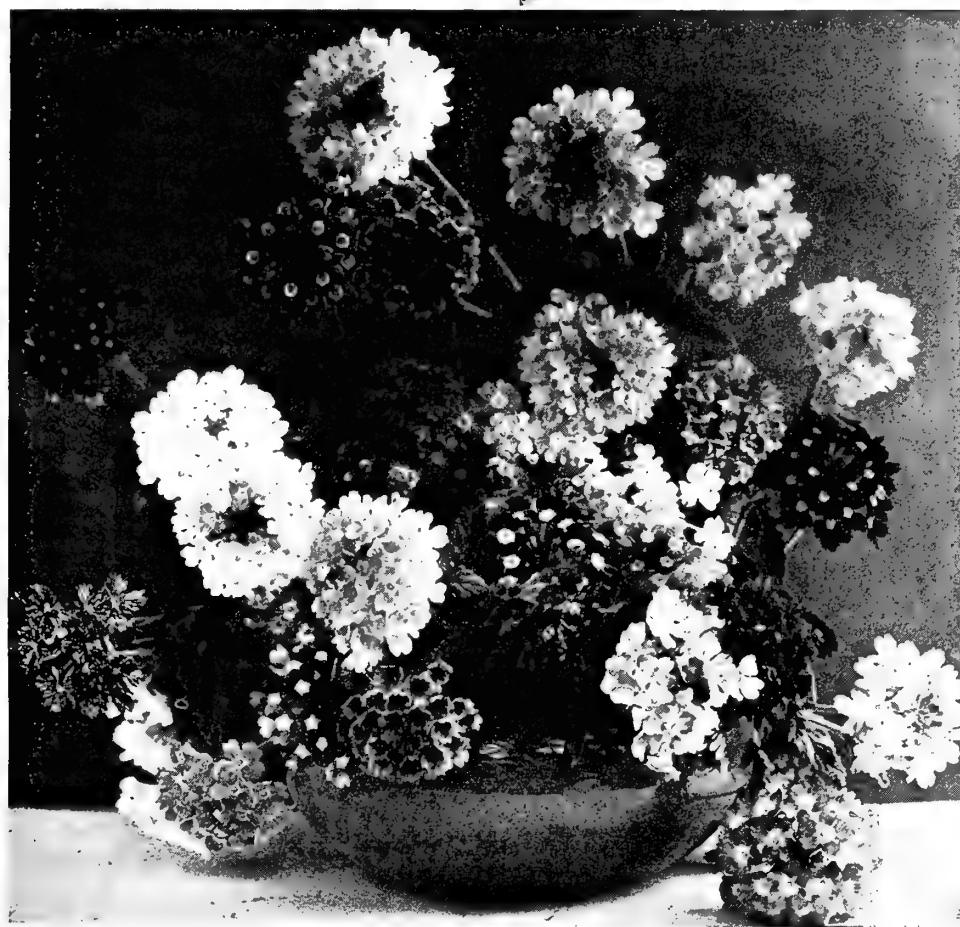
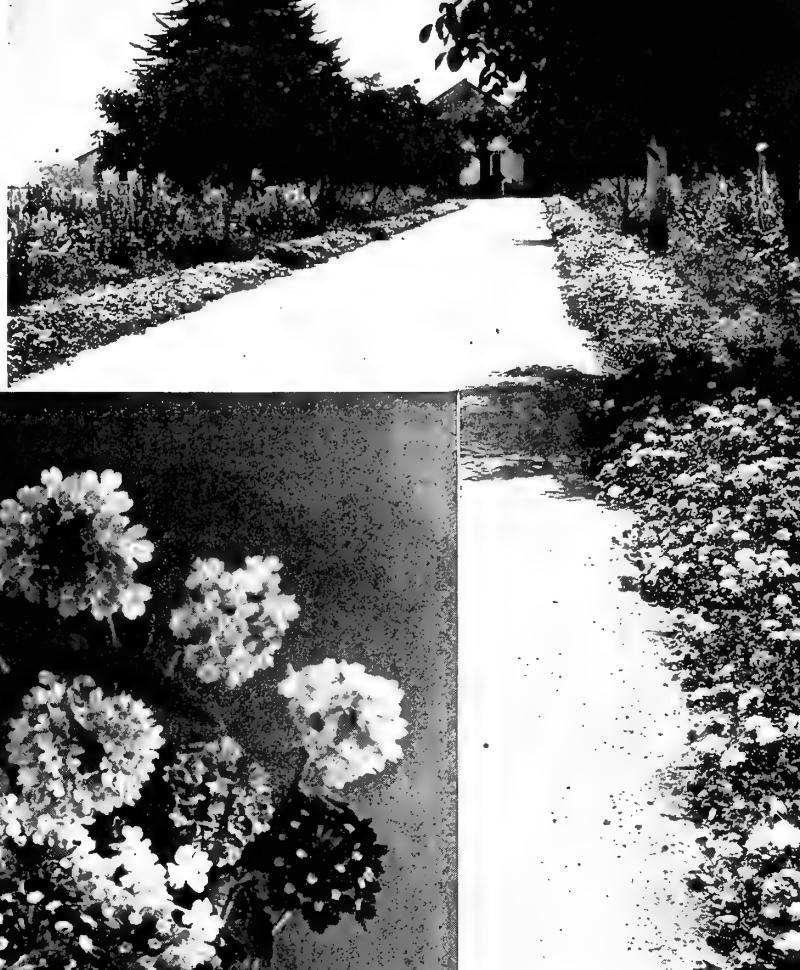
**TITHONIA (Mexican Sunflower)** [tP-6 ft.] When seed is started indoors, this plant makes a brilliant showing about August 15 of the first year in the Northern States. In mild climates it is perennial and can be planted outdoors spring or fall. The flowers of vivid orange-scarlet are like huge French Marigolds 3 or 4 inches across. They last well in bouquets. The leaves have an odd appearance as though they had been cut into irregular patterns with scissors.

**Speciosa** ..... Pkt. 15c



# and Fragrance

**VERBENA** [tP] Do you remember a sunny bare place that was an eyesore in the flower border last summer? Or some other spot that would have been improved by low-growing plants with a dash of color? You will make no mistake by choosing Verbenas for such a need in your next year's garden.



Can you imagine anything more colorful than a driveway bordered with Verbenas? Why not try it yourself, this year?

And what could be gayer than a bowl of the bright blossoms on the dining room table?

These popular dwarf creeping plants produce dark green foliage enlivened by many fine clusters of star-shaped blossoms with rounded lobed petals. The colors are refreshing in their brilliancy. Verbena will flower from mid-summer to frost from seeds started early in the spring.

**Hybrida Mammoth** [8 in.] Sometimes called "Gigantea". A choice selection of the large flowering strain which bears fine rounded clusters of blossoms.

**Blue** Deep violet-blue with white eye.

**Luminosa** Flaming pink shading to coral.

**Scarlet** (Lucifer) Flaming red.

**White** Exquisite pure white.

**Mixed** A superb blend of mammoth sorts.

Any one of the above:  
1/8 oz. 50c; pkt. 15c

**Hybrida** [8 in.] The ever-reliable bedding type, very floriferous and producing clusters of fine blossoms of good size.

There is a wide range of colors—vivid pink, bright scarlet, deep violet-blue. Some flowers have light-colored centers which make them distinctive. This variety is very desirable for rock gardens, as well as for low borders, on account of the plant's trailing habits. They are also excellent in window and porch boxes combined with flowers of taller habits.

**Scarlet** (Defiance) Fiery red with small white eye.

**Choice Mixed** An assortment of all the vivid colors and intermediate shades.

Each of the above:  
1/4 oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

## You'll Find

▲ ▲ ▲ A list of flowers especially suitable for window boxes on page 90.

# Zinnias, both New and Old,

**VIRGINIAN STOCK** [hA-6 in.] This was a favorite in gardens in the old days, and modern flower lovers should make use of it more often than they do. It can be sown quite early, and as summer comes on it will provide a pretty, fresh effect as an edging or in a low border. The dwarf plants are light green and produce quantities of four-petaled single flowers with a faint perfume. These come in shades of red and white. The plants bloom for many weeks.

Mixed ..... Oz. 35c; pkt. 5c

**VISCARIA (Rose of Heaven)** [hA-12 in.] Another of the colorful annual flowers which the older generation may recall in gardens when they were young. The neat tufted plants with pale green leaves bear terminal flowers resembling tiny single wild roses. Throughout the summer there is a wealth of blossoms in shades of red, white, and blue.

Mixed ..... Pkt. 10c



Pompon Zinnias make a pretty border planting for the taller varieties. These are Double Lilliput. (See page 89.)

**VIOLA CORNUTA (Tufted Pansies)** [hP-R-6 in.] Those who do not know the Viola often mistake it for a small-flowered Pansy. It belongs to the same great Violet family, but it is distinctly different. It is very hardy, and for that reason it is one of the best edging plants for the permanent border or rock garden. Over neat tufts of foliage the dainty flowers are gracefully poised on slender stems. Frequently the petals of the blossoms do not overlap as they do in many Pansies, and the spur or horn of the lower petal is more pronounced.

White Glistening white.

Yellow Bright gold.

Blue Perfection A fine light blue.

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 15c

**Jersey Gem** The best deep violet-blue ..... Pkt. 25c

Mixed An assortment of many rich colors which blend admirably .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**WALLFLOWER** [hhB] This branch of the Stock or Gilliflower family is a great favorite throughout Europe; it should be one of the garden's treasures in the milder sections of this country. In our Northern States even the early varieties may not flower out of doors before frost, but if taken up and potted they will furnish beautiful blooms indoors. They come in wonderfully rich tones of red, yellow, and brown and are deliciously perfumed.

**Double** [20 in.] Many shades of orange, yellow, and mulberry are to be found in this type of Wallflower. Each plant normally produces a single vigorous stalk with drooping dark green leaves and a tapering spike thickly set with double flowers. It makes a fine accent plant in the front of the border.

Mixed .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**WHITLAVIA (California Canterbury Bell)** [hA-12 in.]

This native of California is a blue flowering plant that does well everywhere, and it should be grown more generally. The leaves which are heart-shaped and toothed form a dense group above which rise delicate hairy stalks with curving sprays of flowers at the top. The blossoms are little bells, their flat, five-lobed margins of violet-blue intensified by their clear white interiors. Each flower soon fades, but the continued succession of bloom keeps the plant in color for many weeks.

Gloxinoides Blue .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**WIND FLOWER (See Anemone)**

**WOOLFLOWER (See Celosia)**

**XERANTHEMUM (Everlasting)** [hA-18 in.] When winter comes, the person who has planted this dainty strawflower may have a lasting remembrance of his garden's summer beauty. The erect plants are graced with silvery foliage and carry on long slender stems double flower heads about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches across. These have one or two rows of ray petals around a dense central tuft of shorter, tubular florets. The exterior ray petals come in shades of white, pink, and purple, while the tufts are usually ivory white.

Double Mixed .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c; pkt. 10c

**YARROW (See Achillea)**

# are Easy to Grow

**ZINNIA** [hA] Perhaps the ancient and cultured Mayas of Mexico once cultivated this flower in their gardens. For, Zinnias were originally native wild flowers of that country. However, if the Mayas could see the new varieties we have today, they would be astonished that such superb blossoms could have come from the flowers they used to know.

Zinnias are particularly adapted to our hot American summers. They like rich, well-fertilized soil and a moderate amount of water. Such growing conditions will produce lusty, robust plants and gorgeous flowers. Zinnias bloom for many weeks.

The several classes we offer fill many needs in the garden, last for days as cut flowers, and are of choice quality.

**Double Dahlia Flowered** [2½ ft.] Enormous flowers, usually having slightly hollowed centers ringed with small tubular florets. The petals are quite loosely placed and tend to curl at the edges, giving the blossoms a crisp, fresh appearance. Although the type is still unstable, most of the flowers are beautifully double.

**Canary** (Canary Bird)      **Light Rose** (Exquisite)  
**Crimson** (Crimson Monarch)      **Orange and Gold** (Oriole)  
**Golden Yellow** (Golden Dawn)      **Scarlet** (Scarlet Flame)  
**Lavender** (Dream)      **White** (Polar Bear)

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 15c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45c; pkt. 10c

**Double Giant** [2½ ft.] These flowers are usually brighter than the Dahlia-flowered type and are nearly as large. Normally they are quite similar in shape, but the center is somewhat more elevated, and the rows of slightly convex petals are more regular, giving the bloom the appearance of being well shingled. This group will give great satisfaction.

**Canary Yellow**      **Orange**  
**Crimson**      **Pink**      **Purple**  
                        **White**

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 5c



If you like something unusual in flowers, you will be pleased with  
Fantasy, the cactus-petaled Zinnia.

**Double Fantasy** [2 ft.] Petals curved and partially quilled like those of the Cactus Dahlia. Flowers are of medium size and come in rich hues of red, rose, orange, and yellow. It is easy to grow.

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Double Elegans** (Cut and Come Again) [2 ft.] These forerunners of the robust giant sorts produce relatively graceful plants adorned with fine double flowers about 2½ inches in diameter. They are quite dome-shaped and evenly double, and the petals are well overlapped. The colors are vivid, and these varieties are again returning to popularity.

**Bright Scarlet**      **Golden Yellow**      **Salmon Rose**

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Double Mexicana** [12 in.] Probably this miniature Zinnia is more nearly like the true Mexican native variety than any other. The double blossoms are a rich orange in color, usually with a deeper tone toward their bases. It is an edging gem.

**Orange** .....  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Mexicana Hybrids** [12 in.] A miniature Zinnia somewhat like French Marigold with flowers of yellow, orange, and mahogany—frequently variegated. Some blossoms are double and some single. Good for edging and long-lasting bouquets...  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c

**Double Lilliput** [12 in.] A charming dwarf which is excellent for low borders or edgings. The plants are of tidy habit and produce a bounteous supply of very double pompon flowers about 1½ inches across. The colors are bright and well varied.

**Canary Yellow**      **Orange**      **Salmon Rose**  
**Crimson**      **Purple**      **Scarlet**  
                        **White**

Any one of the above:  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 40c; pkt. 10c

**Mixed** .....  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c; pkt. 10c



Plant some of the separate colors of the Dahlia-flowered Zinnia.  
You'll be delighted.

# Flowers grouped for Special Uses

## FOR CUT FLOWERS

Adonis  
Agrostemma  
Anenome coronaria  
Anchusa  
Antirrhinum  
Arctotis  
Asclepias tuberosa  
Aster  
Cacalia  
Calendula  
Calliopsis  
Candytuft  
Carnation  
Centaurea cyanus (Bachelor Button)  
Centaurea imperialis (Sweet Sultan)  
Chrysanthemum  
Clarkia  
Columbine  
Coreopsis  
Cosmos  
Dahlia  
Delphinium  
Didiscus  
Gaillardia  
Gerbera  
Gladiolus  
Gypsophila  
Helichrysum  
Lathyrus (Perennial Sweet Pea)  
Lupin  
Marigold  
Nasturtium  
Nigella  
Oenothera  
Penstemon  
Poppy (Nudicaule)  
Pyrethrum roseum  
Rudbeckia  
Salpiglossis  
Scabiosa  
Schizanthus  
Shasta Daisy  
Stevia  
Sweet Pea  
Zinnia

## FOR FRAGRANCE

Abronia  
Alyssum  
Candytuft  
Carnation  
Centaurea imperialis  
Heliotrope  
Hesperis matronalis (Sweet Rocket)  
Lavender  
Lilium  
Matthiola  
Mignonette  
Nicotiana  
Petunia  
Primula

## FOR FRAGRANCE—Cont.

Scabiosa  
Stock  
Sweet Pea  
Sweet William  
Valeriana  
Verbena  
Wallflower

## FOR WINTER BOUQUETS

Aeroclinium  
Celosia cristata  
Globe Amaranth  
Gypsophila paniculata  
Helichrysum  
Lunaria  
Physalis  
Rhodanthe  
Statice  
Xeranthemum

## FOR SEMI-SHADE

Anchusa italicica  
Balsam  
Bellis perennis  
Campanula  
Centaurea  
Clarkia  
Coleus  
Columbine  
Geum  
Godetia  
Linaria  
Lupin  
Mignonette  
Myosotis  
Pansy  
Platycodon  
Sweet William

## FOR WITHSTANDING DROUGHT

Abronia  
Achillea  
Ageratum  
Alyssum procumbens  
Arctotis  
Armeria  
Asclepias tuberosa  
Aubrieta  
Bartonia  
Brachycome  
Browallia  
Calliopsis  
Coreopsis  
Dimorphotheca  
Eschscholtzia  
Gaillardia picta  
Hollyhock  
Lathryus latifolius  
Lobelia, Annuals  
Nasturtium  
Petunia  
Penstemon  
Phlox drummondii  
Poppy  
Scabiosa, Annual  
Shasta Daisy  
Verbena  
Viola  
Zinnia

## FOR WITHSTANDING FOR LATE BLOOM—Cont.

Lavender  
Lupin texensis  
Mesembryanthemum tricolor  
Mesembryanthemum crystallinum  
Petunia  
Portulaca  
Sedum  
Statice  
Sunflower  
Tithonia  
Verbena  
Vinca  
Zinnia

## FOR EARLY BLOOM

Alyssum saxatile  
Anemone  
Arabis  
Aubrieta  
Bellis perennis  
Calendula  
Campanula carpatica  
Cerastium  
Columbine  
Coreopsis  
Delphinium  
Digitalis  
Erinus  
Erysimum  
Gaillardia grandiflora  
Pansy  
Phacelia  
Primula, Hardy  
Pyrethrum roseum  
Ranunculus  
Sweet William  
Viola

## FOR MIDSUMMER BLOOM

Achillea  
Ageratum  
Brachycome  
Calliopsis  
Coreopsis  
Dimorphotheca  
Eschscholtzia  
Gaillardia picta  
Hollyhock  
Lathryus latifolius  
Lobelia, Annuals  
Nasturtium  
Petunia  
Penstemon  
Phlox drummondii  
Poppy  
Scabiosa, Annual  
Shasta Daisy  
Verbena  
Viola  
Zinnia

## FOR LATE BLOOM

Alyssum, Sweet  
Antirrhinum  
Aster  
Calendula  
Celosia  
Coreopsis

Cosmos  
Dahlia  
Gaillardia  
Globe Amaranth  
Hunnemania  
Marigold  
Pansy  
Salvia  
Vinca  
Viola  
Zinnia

## FOR WILD FLOWER GARDENS

Aquilegia coerulea  
Asclepias tuberosa  
Aster, Perennial  
Heuchera (Coral Bells)  
Lupin  
Rudbeckia (Cone Flower)

## FOR FOLIAGE EFFECTS

Amaranthus tricolor  
Asparagus  
Coleus  
Centaurea gymnocarpa  
Euphorbia variegata  
Euphorbia heterophylla  
Kochia  
Ricinus

## FOR HOUSE PLANTS

Asparagus sprengeri  
Asparagus plumosus nanus  
Begonia  
Browallia  
Celosia, Dwarf Crested  
Cineraria  
Coleus  
Euphorbia heterophylla  
Geranium  
Lantana  
Mimosa  
Passiflora (Passion flower)  
Primula chinensis  
Primula malacoides  
Smilax  
Stock

## FOR WINDOW BOXES

Ageratum  
Antirrhinum, Giant Bedding  
Asparagus sprengeri  
Begonia  
Coleus  
Geranium  
Heliotrope  
Lantana  
Lobelia, Annuals  
Morning Glory  
Nasturtium, Dwarf  
Petunia  
Phlox drummondii  
Thunbergia  
Verbena

# and arranged according to Height

## FOR BACKGROUNDS AND BORDERS

(Tall, 3 ft. or more)

### Annuals

*Amaranthus caudatus*  
†*Antirrhinum maximum*  
*Celosia*, Feathered  
*Cleome pungens*  
*Cosmos*  
*Lavatera*  
*Ricinus* (*Castor Bean*)  
*Sunflower*  
*Tithonia*

### Perennials

*Anchusa italicica*  
*Aster*, Perennial  
*Buddleia*  
*Campanula persicifolia*  
*Campanula pyramidalis*  
\**Dahlia*  
*Delphinium*, Tall Hybrids  
*Digitalis* (*Foxglove*)  
*Gypsophila paniculata*  
*Hibiscus*  
*Hollyhock*  
*Lupin polyphyllus*  
*Physostegia*

## FOR BORDERS, ETC.

(Medium tall, 20 in. to 3 ft.)

### Annuals

*Amaranthus tricolor*  
*Anchusa capensis*  
†*Antirrhinum majus*  
*Arctotis*  
*Aster*, Annual  
†*Calliopsis*  
*Canna*  
*Celosia childsi*  
†*Centaurea cyanus*  
*Chrysanthemum*, Annual  
*Clarkia*  
*Coreopsis*  
*Cosmidium*  
*Cynoglossum*  
*Didiscus*

†*Euphorbia variegata*  
†*Euphorbia heterophylla*

*Four-o'clock*  
*Gilia*

*Godetia*, Double

*Gypsophila*, Annual

*Helichrysum*

*Heliotrope*

†*Kochia*

†*Larkspur*, Annual

†*Lupin hartwegii*

†*Lupin hirsutus*

†*Marigold*, Tall

*Nicotiana*

*Petunia hybrida*

*Poppy*, Tall Somniferum

*Rudbeckia*

*Salpiglossis*

*Salvia splendens*

*Scabiosa*, Annual

*Statice*

*Stevia*

*Zinnia*, Tall Sorts

## Perennials

*Achillea*  
*Asclepias*  
*Columbine*  
*Delphinium*  
*Gaillardia grandiflora*  
*Geum*  
\**Gladiolus*  
*Lavender*  
*Lilium regale*  
*Matricaria*  
*Oenothera*  
*Poppy, Oriental*  
*Penstemon*  
*Pyrethrum roseum*  
*Salvia farinacea*  
*Scabiosa caucasica*  
*Shasta Daisy*  
*Valeriana*

## FOR BEDDING AND BORDERS

(Semi-dwarf, 10 to 20 in.)

### Annuals

*Aeroclonium*  
*Adonis*  
*Ageratum*  
†*Antirrhinum*, Giant Bedding  
*Balsam*  
*Bartonia*  
†*Brachycome*  
*Browallia*  
*Cacalia*  
†*Calendula*  
†*Candytuft*  
*Carnation*  
*Coleus*  
*Collinsia*  
†*Dianthus* (Pinks)  
*Dimorphotheca*  
Erysimum (Afghan Gilliflower)  
†*Eschscholtzia*  
*Gaillardia picta*  
*Gerbera*  
*Godetia*, Single  
†*Hunnemannia*  
Job's Tears  
*Linaria maroccana*  
*Linum* (Scarlet Flax)  
*Lupin texensis* (Texas Bluebonnet)  
*Matthiola*  
*Mignonette*  
*Mimosa*  
*Nasturtium*, Dwarf  
*Nigella* (Love-in-a-Mist)  
*Petunia*  
Phlox drummondii  
†*Poppy*, Shirley

Rhodanthe  
*Salvia*, Bonfire  
*Salvia patens*  
*Schizanthus*  
*Stock*  
*Vinca*  
*Viscaria*  
Wallflower, Single Earliest

## FOR BEDDING AND BORDERS—Cont.

### Annuals

*Whitlavia*  
*Xeranthemum*  
*Zinnia*, Dwarf Sorts

### Perennials

*Agrostemma*  
*Hesperis* (Sweet Rocket)  
*Heuchera*  
*Linum perenne*  
*Physalis* (Chinese Lantern)  
*Platycodon*  
*Poppy*, Nudicaule  
*Scabiosa columbaria*

## FOR EDGINGS

(Dwarf, 10 in. or less)

### Annuals

*Abronia*  
†*Alyssum*  
*Anagallis*  
*Kaulfussia*  
*Lobelia*  
†*Marigold*, Dwarf  
*Mesembryanthemum*  
crystallinum (Ice Plant)  
*Mesembryanthemum*  
tricolor (Dew Plant)  
*Nemesia*  
*Nemophila*  
†*Pansy*  
*Phacelia*  
*Portulaca*  
*Saponaria*  
*Verbena*  
*Virginian Stock*

### Perennials

*Anemone*  
*Arabis*  
*Armeria*  
*Aubrieta*  
*Bellis perennis*  
*Campanula carpatica*  
Cerastium (Snow-in-Summer)  
*Erinus*  
*Iberis*  
*Myosotis*  
*Primula*, Hardy  
*Ranunculus*  
*Sedum acre*  
*Viola*

## FOR ROCK GARDENS

### Annuals

*Abronia*  
†*Alyssum*, Sweet  
†*Brachycome*  
*Dimorphotheca*  
*Lobelia*, Annuals  
*Mesembryanthemum*  
crystallinum

## FOR ROCK GARDENS—Cont.

### Annuals

*Mesembryanthemum*  
tricolor  
*Phlox drummondii*  
*Portulaca*  
*Saponaria*  
*Schizanthus*  
*Thunbergia*  
*Statice*  
*Verbena*  
*Virginian Stock*

### Perennials

*Alyssum saxatile*  
*Anemone*  
*Arabis*  
*Armeria*  
*Asclepias tuberosa*  
*Aubrieta*  
*Bellis perennis*  
*Campanula carpatica*  
*Cheiranthus* (biennial)  
Cerastium (Snow-in-summer)  
*Columbine*  
*Dianthus plumarius*  
*Erinus*  
*Gypsophila paniculata*  
*Heuchera* (Coral bells)  
*Linum*  
*Mimulus*  
*Myosotis* (Forget-me-not)  
*Platycodon*  
*Poppy* (Nudicaule)  
*Primula*, Hardy  
*Ranunculus*  
*Sedum acre*  
*Viola*

## FOR SCREENING AND ORNAMENT

(Climbers)

### Annuals

*Cardinal Climber*  
*Cypress Vine*  
*Dolichos lablab* (Hyacinth Bean)  
*Dolichos lignosus* (Australian Pea Vine)  
*Gourd*  
*Humulus*  
*Ipomoea*  
*Momordica*  
*Morning Glory*  
*Scarlet Runner Bean*  
*Sweet Pea*  
*Thunbergia*

### Perennials

†*Cobaea scandens*  
†*Dolichos lignosus*  
*Kudzu Vine*  
*Lathyrus latifolius*  
\**Passiflora*

†Equally suitable for spring or fall planting. Fall planting assures earlier flowers.

\*Perennials that will not survive frost.

# Add some New Dahlias



Fluffy center petals and alluring pastel tones make **Myra Howard** one of the outstanding new Dahlias.



You will find Jersey's Buttercup very much to your liking if you are looking for soft, clear yellow. It's a beauty.

Dahlias of the "Formal Decorative" [FD] type have large gracefully formed flowers with broader, flatter petals than any of the others. The "Informal Decorative" [ID] varieties have petals that are somewhat narrower and more quilled than the "Formal." The "Semi-Cactus" flowers are intermediate between the "Informal Decorative" and the "Cactus" types, while the "Cactus" are the true quilled Dahlias. The "Ball" types were formerly known as "Show" types.

The roots are tender and easily injured by frost. They should be set out three feet apart, after all danger of frost is past. The best blooms are sometimes obtained if planting is deferred until continued warm weather is assured. The soil should be deeply dug and well drained but only moderately enriched with bone meal or thoroughly rotted barnyard manure. A stiff clay should be avoided. A sunny situation is desirable as well as plenty of space and air. Place the roots horizontally, covering two to three inches deep. Give thorough cultivation and during dry weather water well once a week. In order to secure the largest blooms, it is the common practice to remove the side shoots and lateral buds, leaving a single flower to a stem. Dahlias usually do not require much fertilizer and fresh barnyard manure especially should not be used. The plants should be supported by tying to stakes. The roots should be stored during winter in a cool cellar but not allowed to freeze.

## PRICES ARE POSTPAID IN U. S. A.

### DECORATIVE TYPES, FORMAL AND INFORMAL

<b>Avalon</b> [FD]	Clear, even light yellow on long stems. Very lovely.....	25c each; \$2.50 per dozen
<b>Bagdad</b> [FD]	Very large flaming red flower on long stems .....	35c each; \$3.50 per dozen
<b>Barbara Redfern</b> [ID]	An early blooming combination of old rose and old gold. Very large flowers on good stems .....	25c each; \$2.50 per dozen
<b>Betty Colter</b> [ID]	Light salmon red shading to old rose at the base of the petals..	\$1.00 each; \$10.00 per dozen
<b>Chemar's Eureka</b> [FD]	Pure white with a faint lavender veil over some flowers in early stages. Good stems. Fine cut flowers .....	35c each; \$3.50 per dozen
<b>Cloudland Gem</b> [FD]	Soft pink and white, blended. A perfect flower.....	50c each; \$5.00 per dozen
<b>Color Sergeant</b> [ID]	Rich, deep salmon bronze.....	35c each; \$3.50 per dozen
<b>Dwight Morrow</b> [ID]	Beautiful blossom of deep velvety texture in dark red with long stems. Heavy, dark foliage .....	75c each; \$7.50 per dozen
<b>Jane Cowl</b> [ID]	A large, beautifully colored flower; warm buff and old gold blending to bright salmon at center. The stems are unusually long and strong .....	25c each; \$2.50 per dozen
<b>Jersey's Beacon</b> [FD]	A huge flower of Chinese scarlet with under-side of petals paler. Fine stem .....	35c each; \$3.50 per dozen
<b>Jersey's Beauty</b> [FD]	A true, pure pink of extra size and depth on long stiff stems. A recent introduction of great merit .....	35c each; \$3.50 per dozen
<b>Jersey's Buttercup</b> [FD]	Soft lemon yellow. Good stems. A splendid flower.....	35c each; \$3.50 per dozen
<b>Kathleen Norris</b> [ID]	Rose pink deepening to mallow pink. Gigantic size flowers on strong stems. Always a prize winner. Keeps well.....	35c each; \$3.50 per dozen

# to make your Flower List Complete

**Margaret Woodrow Wilson** [ID] Large deep blossoms with creamy white face; phlox pink shining through from the reverse of the petals gives a pale pink effect. Free bloomer. Early..... 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

**Miss California** [FD] Large attractive flowers of the new shade of "oriental fuchsia." Stiff stems..... 30c each; \$3.00 per dozen

**Mrs. I. de Ver Warner** [FD] Large flowers of perfect form, on long stiff stems. Refined mauve-pink. Ideal for cutting..... 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

**Myra Howard** [ID] Deep saffron and gold with salmon tints. A very distinctive dahlia..... 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen

**Nanaquaket** [FD] Huge fluffy blossoms on long slender stems. Medium bush literally covered with flowers. Pale orchid..... 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

**Omar Khayyam** [FD] Immense flower with a good stem. A striking combination of Chinese red shading to bright orange and tipped with a lighter shade..... 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen

**Purity** [ID] One of the very best of the pure whites. The artistically arranged petals give the large flowers a full, fluffy appearance..... 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

**Red Wing** [ID] Rich bright red. Not a huge flower, but of excellent form..... 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen

**Shaharazad** [ID] Long wavy petals of rose pink form a huge flower on a big bush. Long stems. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen

**The Commodore** [ID] Very large flower of lemon yellow, overcast with yellow sheen..... 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen

**The World** [FD] Deep rosy magenta overlaid with garnet; silvery shadings on edges and back of petals. Good stems and foliage..... 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen

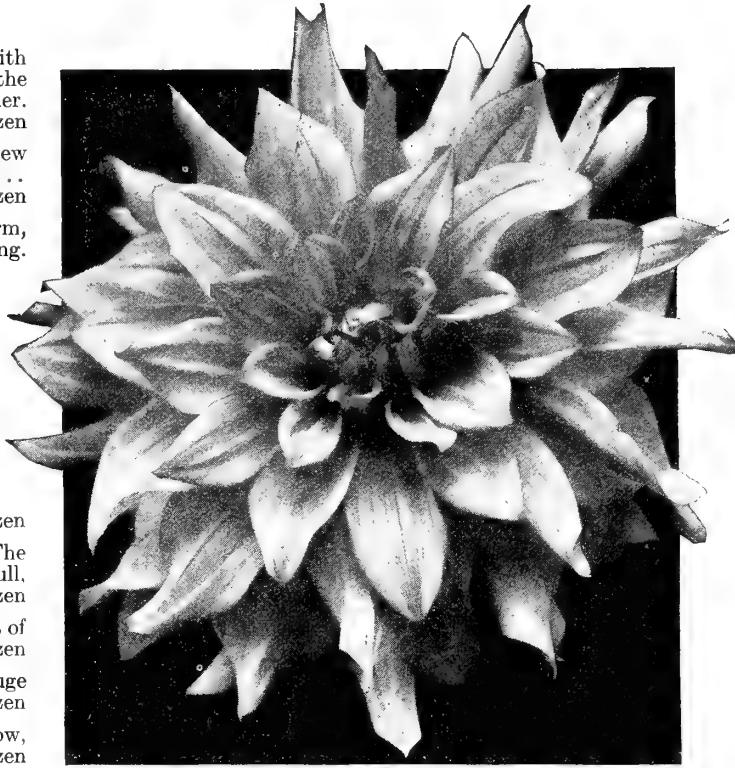
**W. H. T.** [FD] Cerise rose with tints of mauve. Good size, excellent stems. A good keeper. An ideal flower because of unusual shape and blended color. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen

## BALL TYPE

**Maude Adams.** White overlaid with delicate pink..... 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

**Cuban Giant** Very large dark red. Good stems..... 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

**Yellow Duke** A vigorous grower with large canary yellow flowers; quilled petals..... 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen



**Josephine G** is one of the recently developed pink Dahlias of the semi-cactus type. It blooms early.

## CACTUS AND SEMI-CACTUS TYPES

**Alice Whittier** Very large blossoms of clear primrose yellow. Stems stiff and erect..... 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen

**Bride's Bouquet** A pure white of good form and size. It has good stems and keeps well after cutting..... 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

**Countess of Lonsdale** Apricot shaded salmon red. An early, very attractive variety..... 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

**Fort Monmouth** Enormous flowers of rich, deep claret. A prize winner..... 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen

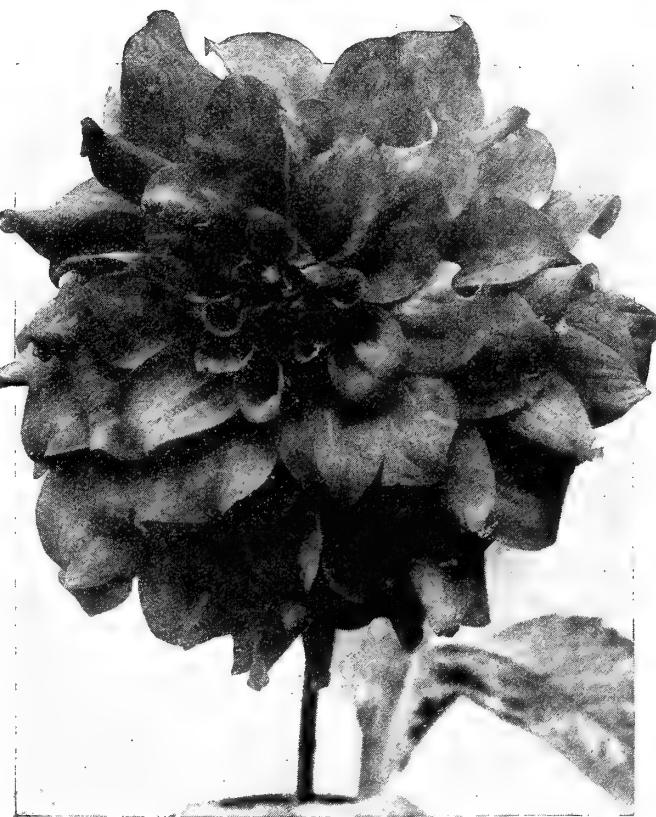
**Islam Patrol** Rich velvety scarlet, tipped and flushed with pure gold..... 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen

**Josephine G** Wild rose pink tipped with soft yellow. A truly beautiful flower. Free blooming and early..... 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen

**La Mexicana** Medium bush, literally covered from early summer until the last of the season, with medium sized graceful flowers of burnt orange and copper on fine stems. Useful for cutting..... 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen

**Mariposa** A very attractive lavender pink. Perfect in form on good stems..... 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen

**Rollo Boy** Large; perfect form. Soft amber, shaded old gold. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen



Both men and women are enthusiastic about Red Wing. The color is a rare combination of richness and brightness.

**SINGLE and POMPON TYPES** (See page 94)

# "Glads" give



Pompon Dahlias are neat and dainty as cut flowers. They keep their freshness a long time, and the colors are delightful.

## DAHLIAS (Continued)

### POMPON TYPE

<b>Cardinal</b>	Red on good stems.....	25c each
<b>Catherine</b>	Clear canary yellow.....	25c each
<b>Joe Fette</b>	Best white for all purposes.....	25c each
<b>Little David</b>	Beautiful shade of deep orange. Very good form and an excellent cut flower.....	25c each
<b>Sunny Daybreak</b>	Apricot, edged red. Unusually good. 25c each	
<b>Tommy Keith</b>	Deep red, regularly tipped with white. 25c each	

### SINGLE TYPE

<b>Bishop of Llandaff</b>	Velvety bright red flowers. The low-growing compact plants are unique because of their rich dark stems and foliage. Unusually pleasing and distinctive.....	50c each; \$5.00 per dozen
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<b>Snowflake</b>	Pure white with yellow center. Attractive in combination with Bishop of Llandaff.....	50c each; \$5.00 per dozen
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No flower has gained more rapidly in public favor than the Gladiolus; this could not well be otherwise, for in addition to its great decorative value, it is hardy and blooms the first season from bulbs.

Gladioli will thrive in almost any good soil except a stiff clay. They require full sunlight and are liable to injury only from rank manure. Plant the bulbs 6 to 9 inches apart, the large ones 4 inches and the small ones 2 inches deep. Make an early planting of the smallest bulbs first as soon as the ground is sufficiently dry and warm. Continue to plant at intervals of 2 weeks during the spring and early summer; in this way there will be a succession of bloom from midsummer until frost. A free use of water during the season of active growth, particularly as the buds begin to show color, will be beneficial in producing fine blossoms. All our Gladiolus bulbs have been treated against thrip.

Prices on All Quantities Are Postpaid in U. S. A.

### GIANT FLOWERED TYPES

**ALBATROSS** One of the finest pure whites, without a trace of other color. A strong growing exhibition variety. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

**BETTY NUTHALL** Warm light coral pink with pale orange throat and light carmine feathering. The flowers are of splendid substance and often 6 inches across. 10c each; 75c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

**BERTY SNOW** Large flowers of beautiful lavender. Excellent substance and placement. Fine cut flower. A prize winner. 10c each; 75c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

**CAPTAIN BOYNTON** Beautiful lavender with a deeper blotch on lower petals. Large flowers perfectly placed on tall stems. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**CHARLES DICKENS** Purple violet. 10c each; 75c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

**COMMANDER KOEHL** Brilliant scarlet-blood-red with large flowers. Tall, strong stems. A new introduction from Europe and classed as one of the finest red varieties. Grows well under all weather conditions. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

**DR. F. E. BENNETT** Peach red overlaid with flame scarlet; throat speckled ruby and cream white. Very large flowers of good substance; many open at a time; strong stem; sturdy grower. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**EDITH MASON** Delicate geranium pink—an exquisite color. 10c each; 75c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

**GIANT NYMPH** La France pink with creamy yellow throat. 10c each; 50c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

**GLORIANA** Golden salmon with pure yellow throat. Large flowers; many open at a time. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**GOLDEN DREAM** Pure golden yellow. The spike and size of the flower are like those of Golden Measure, but the center is clearer. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**GOLDEN MEASURE** Large well-expanded flowers of golden yellow. Very robust and tall, a quality unusual in the yellows and blues. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**KALAMAZOO** Large compact flowers of beautiful violet-purple; creamy white throat. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

### Here's News!

\*\*\* We will send you one each of the six lovely Pompon Dahlias listed on this page for \$1.25. (Postpaid in U. S. A.)

# Life and Beauty to the summer garden

**LOS ANGELES** Attractive hooded flowers of bright pink shading to geranium pink; medium tall spikes. Will sometimes throw up another flowering stem after the first has been cut. 10c each; 50c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

**MARMORA** Grayish-lavender with an old-rose blotch. Very large flowers. 10c each; 75c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

**MINUET** Delicate, clear lavender. Large flowers on strong spikes. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

**MRS. H. E. BOTHIN** Geranium pink, tinted salmon; flaming scarlet center. Heavily ruffled flowers. Strong stems. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

**MRS. F. KING** Vermilion, shaded salmon. 10c each; 50c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

**MRS. F. PENDLETON** Rose pink; lower petals blotched carmine. A very popular variety of Gladiolus. 10c each; 50c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

**MRS. LEON DOUGLAS** Begonia-rose striped with flame scarlet; lower petals pale lemon, speckled ruby. Huge flowers with several side shoots. Considered one of the largest Gladioli. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**MRS. VAN KONYNENBURG** Brilliant blue without a trace of purple. The bluest of all Gladioli and probably the largest flowered. 10c each; 75c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

**MOTHER MACHREE** Beautiful coloring of lavender and orange, subdued with neutral gray. Large flower and plant; excellent arrangement. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

**NANCY HANKS** Rich apricot. Very pretty. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**PFITZER'S TRIUMPH** Huge Amaryllis-like flowers of flaming salmon with a bright cherry blotch. 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.00 per 100.

**PICARDY** Soft apricot pink with feathering of deeper shade in throat. Individual florets very large. Petals of heavy substance and slightly frilled. Six to ten flowers open at a time. It has been a constant winner wherever shown. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

**PURPLE GLORY** Beautifully ruffled flowers of deep velvety maroon with blotches almost black. 10c each; 75c per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

**SPIRIT OF ST. LOUIS** Beautiful orange apricot. Large flowered and unusually attractive. 10c each; 75c per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

**VAUGHN'S WHITE** Many large well-expanded flowers of satiny white open at one time. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.

**VIELCHENBLAU** Violet blue with darker blotches on lower petals. 15c each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

**W. H. PHIPPS** La France pink, overlaid with salmon rose, lighter toward the center; lower petals faintly striped and speckled with ruby. Enormous flowers on very large stems. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**EXHIBITION MIXED** A mixture of the best Giant Flowered sorts in a wide range of shades and colors, including many named varieties of special merit. One of the most satisfactory mixtures of Gladioli obtainable and one that is sure to give satisfaction. 60c per dozen; \$3.50 per 100.

## PRIMULINUS TYPES

**AFLAME** Large flowers of bright flame color, deepening to rich rose in the center. Many open at one time. Tall spikes. Something new in this type of flower. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**ORANGE QUEEN** Large flowered; glowing orange with red stripes on lower petals. Magnificent. 10c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

**SOUVENIR** Clear bright daffodil-yellow without markings. One of the first to bloom. 10c each; 50c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.



Everyone likes Albatross, one of the most beautiful white varieties of Gladiolus that grows.

**MIXED** Colors range from purest light yellow to deepest orange and from shades of pink to scarlet. 75c per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

# Helps for the Garden-minded

## FOREIGN NAMES OF VEGETABLES AND HERBS

ENGLISH	FRENCH	ITALIAN	POLISH	SPANISH	DANISH-NORWEGIAN	GERMAN
Anise.....	Anis.....	Anice.....	Anyz.....	Anis, Matelahuga.....	Anis.....	Anis, Grüner Anis...
Artichoke.....	Artichaut.....	Carciofo.....	Karczochy.....	Alcachofa.....	Artiskok.....	Artischoke.....
Asparagus.....	Asperge.....	Sparagio.....	Szparagi.....	Esparrago.....	Spargel.....	Spargel.....
Balm.....	Mélisse citronnelle.....	Melissa.....	Balsam.....	Toranjil, Citronella.....	Balsamurt.....	Citronen-Mélisse...
Basil.....	Basilic grand.....	Basilico.....	Bazylija.....	Albaca.....	Basilikum.....	Basilien.....
Beans.....	Haricots.....	Fagioli.....	Fasola.....	Habichuela.....	Boenner.....	Bohnen.....
Beet.....	Betterave.....	Barbabietola.....	Buraki.....	Remolacha.....	Roedbede.....	Rübe.....
Borage.....	Bourrache.....	Boragine.....	Burak.....	Borraxa.....	Borago.....	Boretsch.....
Broccoli.....	Chou Brocoli.....	Cavolo broccolo.....	Brokuly.....	Broccoli.....	Broccoli-Kaal.....	Spargelkohl.....
Brussels Sprouts.....	Chou de Bruxelles.....	Cavolo di Bruxelles.....	Latorvil.....	Bretones de Bruselas.....	Rosenkaal.....	Rosenkohl.....
Cabbage.....	Chou pomme.....	Cavolo Cappuccio.....	Kapusta.....	Col repello.....	Hovedkaal.....	Kopfkohl, Kraut.....
Cabbage, Savoy.....	Chou de Milan.....	Cavolo Verzatto.....	Sabaudzka.....	Col de Milan.....	Savoikaal.....	Wirsing.....
Caraway.....	Cumin des prés.....	Carvi.....	Kmínek.....	Alcaravea.....	Karve.....	Feld-Kümmel.....
Cardoon.....	Cardon.....	Cardone.....	Kardy.....	Cardo.....	Kardon.....	Kardon.....
Carrot.....	Carotte.....	Carota.....	Marchew.....	Zanahoria.....	Gulerod.....	Carotten, Möhren.....
Cauliflower.....	Chou-fleur.....	Cavolfiore.....	Kalaifory.....	Califlór.....	Blomkaal.....	Blumenkohl.....
Celeri.....	Céleri.....	Sedano.....	Selery.....	Apio.....	Selleri.....	Sellerie.....
Celeriac.....	Céleri-rave.....	Sedano-rapa.....	Selery (Korzen).....	Apio-nabo.....	Knopselleri.....	Knoll-Sellerie.....
Cervil.....	Cerfeuil.....	Cerfolgio.....	Czechrzycy.....	Perifollo.....	Kjøervel.....	Kerböl.....
Chicory.....	Chicorée sauvage.....	Cicoria.....	Cykorya.....	Achicoria.....	Cichorie.....	Cichorienwurzel.....
Chives.....	Ciboulette.....	Cipollina.....	Szczepiorek.....	Cibollino.....	Alta Grálok.....	Schnettlauch.....
Collards.....	Chou.....	Cavolo Verzatte.....	Pospolity.....	Especie de Berza.....	Kaal.....	Junge Kohl.....
Coriander.....	Coriandre.....	Coriandoro.....	Koledra.....	Culantro.....	Koriander.....	Coriander.....
Corn Salad.....	Mâche.....	Dolcetta.....	Ziarne Salaty.....	Canonigos.....	Vaarsalat.....	Feldsalat.....
Corn.....	Mais.....	Mais.....	Kukurydza.....	Maiz.....	Mais.....	Mais.....
Cress.....	Cresson alénois.....	Crescione d'ajoula.....	Rzerzucha.....	Mastuerzo.....	Karse.....	Garten-Kresse.....
Cress, Water.....	Cresson de fontaine.....	Crescione di fontana.....	Ogorek.....	Cohombro.....	Broendkarse.....	Brunnenkresse.....
Cucumber.....	Concombre.....	Cetriolo.....	Papawa.....	Diente de leon.....	Agürk.....	Gurken.....
Dandelion.....	Pissenlit.....	Dente di leone.....	Koper.....	Eneldo.....	Loevetand.....	Lowenzahn.....
Dill.....	Aneth.....	Aneto.....	Gruszka milosna.....	Berengena.....	Aegplante.....	Eierpflanze.....
Egg Plant.....	Aubergine.....	Melananza.....	Endywia.....	Endivia.....	Endivie.....	Endivien.....
Endive, Curled.....	Chicorée Endive.....	Indivia riccia.....	Escarolo.....	Escarolo.....	Escaroli.....	Fenchel.....
Endive, Broad Leaf.....	Chicorée Scarole Ronde.....	Cicerio Scarola.....	Fenouil.....	Hinjo.....	Fennikel.....	Knoblauch.....
Fennel.....	Fenouil.....	Finocchio.....	Koper.....	Ajo.....	Hvidloeg.....	Andorn.....
Garlic.....	Ail.....	Aglio.....	Czosnek.....	Marrubio.....	Peberrod.....	Meer Rettig.....
Horehound.....	Marrube blanc.....	Marrubio.....	Marubium.....	Taramago.....	Isop.....	Blätterkohl.....
Horse Radish.....	Raifort sauvage.....	Rafano.....	Chrzan.....	Hisopo.....	Groenkaal.....	Knollkohl.....
Hyssop.....	Hysope.....	Issopo.....	Hyzop.....	Bretón, Berza.....	Kaalrabi.....	Lavendel.....
Kale.....	Chou vert.....	Cavolo riccio verde.....	Solanka.....	Col rabano.....	Lavendel.....	Lavendel.....
Kohl Rabi.....	Chou-rave.....	Cavolo rapa.....	Kalarepa.....	Espliego.....	Purre.....	Porre, Lauch.....
Lavender.....	Lavende.....	Lavanda.....	Lawenda.....	Puero.....	Salat.....	Lattich, Kopfsalat.....
Leek.....	Poireau.....	Porro.....	Pory.....	Lechuga.....	Merian.....	Majoran.....
Lettuce.....	Laitue.....	Lattuga.....	Salata.....	Mejorana.....	Melon.....	Melon.....
Marjoram.....	Marjolaine.....	Maggiorana.....	Majeranek.....	Melon, wodny.....	Vandmelon.....	Wasser-Melone.....
Melon.....	Melon.....	Popone.....	Melon.....	Sandaia.....	Champignon.....	Schwamm.....
Melon, Water.....	Melon d'eau.....	Cocomero d'acqua.....	Fungo pratajolo.....	Seta.....	Blomkarse.....	Kapuciner Kresse.....
Mushroom.....	Champignon.....	Capucine.....	Nasturzio.....	Nasturcyna.....	Gombo.....	Ocher.....
Nasturtium.....	Gombaud.....	Ocra.....	Nasturzio.....	Cebula.....	Cebolla.....	Zwiebel.....
Okra.....	Ognon.....	Cipolla.....	Ocra.....	Pietruszka.....	Perejil.....	Petersilie.....
Onion.....	Persil.....	Prezzemolo.....	Pasternak.....	Pastinaca.....	Chirivía.....	Pastinake.....
Parsley.....	Persil.....	Panais.....	Piselli.....	Groch.....	Guisante.....	Erbsen.....
Parsnip.....	Pois.....	Pastinaca.....	Potiron.....	Pieprz.....	Pimento.....	Pfeffer.....
Peas.....	Pois.....	Potiron.....	Zucca.....	Bania.....	Calabaza totanera.....	Melonen-Kürbiss.....
Pepper.....	Piment.....	Potiron.....	Ravanello.....	Rzodkiew.....	Rabanito.....	Radies.....
Pumpkin.....	Potiron.....	Potiron.....	Rabarbaro.....	Rabarbarum.....	Ruibarbo.....	Rhabarber.....
Radish.....	Radis.....	Rabarbaro.....	Rozmarin.....	Rozmaryn.....	Romero.....	Rosmarin.....
Rhubarb.....	Rhubarbe.....	Rosmarino.....	Ruta.....	Ruta.....	Rude.....	Raute.....
Rosemary.....	Romarin.....	Rue.....	Cavolo navone.....	Col nabo, Nabicol.....	Roe.....	Kohlrübe, Wrucken.....
Rue.....	Rue.....	Zafferano.....	Szafran.....	Azafran.....	Safran.....	Safran.....
Rutabaga.....	Chou-navet.....	Zafferano.....	Szalwija.....	Salvia.....	Salvie.....	Salbei.....
Saffron.....	Safran.....	Sauge.....	Szalwija.....	Jarzy, Ostryga.....	Havrerod.....	Haferwurzel.....
Sage.....	Sauge.....	Salvia.....	Szalwija.....	Salsifí blanco.....	Sar.....	Bohnenkraut.....
Salsify.....	Salsifis.....	Scorzanera bianca.....	Caber ogrodowy.....	Ajedrea comun.....	Syre.....	Kürbiss.....
Savory, Summer.....	Sarriette annuelle.....	Santoreggia.....	Szczaw.....	Acedera.....	Spinat.....	Spinat.....
Sorrel.....	Oseille.....	Acetosa.....	Szpinak.....	Espinaca.....	Squash-graeskar.....	Sonnenblume.....
Spinach.....	Epinard.....	Spinacio.....	Miekurz.....	Calabaza.....	Solblomst.....	Beisskohl.....
Squash.....	Courge.....	Zucca.....	Slonecznik.....	Helianto.....	Blad bede.....	Thymian.....
Sunflower.....	Hélianthé.....	Eliotropio.....	Bietola.....	Macierzanka.....	Tomillo.....	Tabak.....
Swiss Chard.....	Poirée.....	Bietola.....	Timo.....	Tytun.....	Tobaco.....	Liebesapfel.....
Thyme.....	Thym.....	Bietola.....	Timo.....	Pomidor.....	Tomate.....	Weisse-Rübe.....
Tobacco.....	Tabac.....	Tabacco.....	Navone.....	Rzepa, brukiew.....	Nabo.....	Turnips.....
Tomato.....	Pomme d'Amour.....	Pomodoro.....	Assenzio.....	Piotun.....	Ajenjo.....	Malurt.....
Turnip.....	Navet.....	Tomate.....				
Wormwood.....	Absinthe.....					

## BOOKLETS

We have prepared the following folders especially for home gardeners. They will be sent free upon request.

**How Do Your Onions Grow?**

**Grow Lettuce Successfully**

**You, Too, Can Grow Fine Tomatoes**

**Fall Bulb Planting**

**Flowering Plants for Your Rock Garden**

**Let's Have a Beautiful Lawn**

**Flower Gardens—Old Fashioned and New**

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